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HOT NEWS

Poli Sci student leads campus uprising for reasons

...presumably. We're not too sure.

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Campus has been swept up in the feverish excitement of revolution, as students at last collectively rose up to throw their post-secondary force behind a cause which, as of press time, remains unclear. It probably involves something that isn't a right being a right.

And it's none other than Rupert Cumberbatch, a second-year political science student, who is credited with inspiring the apathetic student masses to finally pull down the gigantic statue of a Middle-Eastern dictator erected in Quad last week for some reason nobody remembers.

“Stand back, minority! Allow a straight white male to handle this on your behalf!”

RUPERT CUMBERBATCH

HILARIOUS NAME

Cumberbatch says his passion for rallying students began on his high school leadership committee, where he experienced great success getting students to reluctantly don embarrassing costumes and yell school spirit slogans at poorly-organized pep rallies. Coming to the University of Alberta brought even more opportunities for him to shine.

“Poli sci 101 was literally a revelation,” he said. “Learning about all the political conflicts in our world made me realize — It's *me* who has all the answers.”

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Dirty Sexy

Revolution

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TASTE THE RAINBOW

SU council resigns, execs embrace new era of dictatorship

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CHEF-DU-JOUR ■ @COUNCILREVENGEANCE

The Students' Union was expected to collapse last month following the surprise resignation of every single student councillor, but weeks later pretty much no one has noticed any change at all.

In an unprecedented show of decision-making, councillors resigned en masse, citing reasons ranging from being “just plain tired of all the jibber-jabber,” to the fact they “just never gave half a fuck about student governance anyway.” Widespread panic did not ensue, as most students didn't realize anything had changed.

“Honestly, we weren't doing much anyway,”

said former councillor Booze McGin.

“I guess there was that one time we made that committee, but it's not like we ever bothered to check if they were actually doing anything.”

When asked how they were affected by the dissolution of Students' Council, many students expressed confusion over what exactly it was.

“The fuck is Students' Council?” asked fourth-year Biology major Hank “Smoky” Bacon.

“I've been here four years, and you're telling me all this time they've been meeting every second Tuesday and getting free food? Why?”

PLEASE SEE **DIC4LYFE** • IT'S IN THERE, DON'T WORRY

“To the hot girl wearing the slightly gross-looking blue hat in my STATS 103 class: butts.”

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complaints

Oh christ, where do I begin!? First, my mom keeps harassing me about finally graduating and getting a "real job," and then the other day I was stuck standing on the bus next to this total douchbag who wouldn't shut up, then I got this suspicious red mark on my upper lip. Also, the campus bar cooks their burgers in a fucking oven, the scones at Cram Dunk are too small, Lumberg took my stapler, and all my friends have seen *Skyfall* but I haven't and they keep talking about it and I'm like "FUUUUUUUUUUUUUUU....."

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That ninja was Gray Fox! What does he taste like?

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Emergency message arrives, 70 years late

Mickey Mouse

FOUNT OF USELESS HISTORIC KNOWLEDGE • @ROSSISBOSS

Widespread panic hit campus last week following a message from the U of A Emergency Notification System warning that German artillery was pushing through the Ardennes on its way towards Paris and urging readers to stay indoors until further notice.

After closer inspection of the message, which was delivered to the mailboxes of the majority of the campus community, the university discovered it was dated May 10, 1940.

"At this point, we would like to reiterate that this event has passed and campus is safe," acting president Marlboro Fergie-Peel said in a press release.

"Obviously, this is inconvenient, but we felt it was necessary to avoid panic and only release details once we were sure of what was going on."

For students who have attended the U of A for a few years, this comes as yet another failed or late alert from a system that has proven faulty in the past. Some students have been left questioning the efficiency of the text alert system, which has been available as an opt-in service for several years now.

Nelson Bielecki, a 75th-year engineering student, expressed concerns over the lack of communication between university administration and students.

"I remember hearing a noise that day and being pretty frightened, but this alert now seems pretty useless," he complained. "This is worse than the time the system warned me that General Stephen Van Rensselaer was bringing his forces towards Lake Erie."



NOT-A-DOCTOR (YET) LIU

Some students pointed out that other forms of media covered the events in a much better and timely fashion as it unfolded, such as telegraphs and paper encyclopedias.

"I personally only heard this second-hand from my HIST 296 professor," mentioned a second-year Arts major, who wanted to remain anonymous. "I know it's safe now, but when I first got the text it really scared me."

University officials were quick to point out that the delay in the message isn't the flaw of the alert system itself, which sends out hourly test emails and text messages to prove its effectiveness.

"The concern has always been open and informative communication while ensuring no panic will be caused by the messages,"

Fergie-Peel explained.

"We've heard the concerns of students, and will try to disseminate information more quickly in any future events."

SU Vice-President (Suckademic) Just In Failin' weighed in too.

"I don't actually know why you're interviewing me because this really isn't relevant to my position," he said.

"But I think that the university's a little late getting these notifications out sometimes. The rest of us had known, for instance, for more than 2,000 years of Julius Caesar's assassination, and I think that most of us have mourned enough at this point."

"It just doesn't seem like this system is good for much at all," he added.

creepers

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Stevie McSkeevy ARTS XIV

"Because talking about spanking in your first conversation with someone is totally appropriate ... right? Anyone?"

Bat-shit Crazy Grass STALKER 101

"Because I just met you, and this is crazy, but you owe me perogies and wine, so have my babies."



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As you may have heard, I have a lot of stalkers.

I WEPT...

"WHY DO YOU KEEP FOLLOWING ME?"



Coolio bowler hat guy VAMPIRE-IN-TRAINING

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Lister “problem-free,” despite drug operations, goat sacrifices

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Despite evidence of drug operations and dangerous cult activity, student representatives are still upholding their claim that Lister Hall is a safe space for students to live.

After an unknown resident leaked video footage of the activities to YouTube, an inspection of the residence halls showed proof one entire floor in Schäffer had been transformed into a crack den where millions of dollars worth of cocaine was being produced. The university immediately started an initiative, led by Dean of Students Rob Frankinson, to shut down the operation.

“These kids are out of control. It’s not enough that they have to chug each other’s vomit, light their pubes on fire, and booze themselves blind,” Frankinson said.

“I’m getting to old for this shit. Why’s it always vomit?”

Video footage also revealed students pounding back bottles of vodka in the elevators before stealing towels to wear as ceremonial attire to nightly goat sacrifices led by Lister High Priest Kony Mongoose.

The students then made their way to one of the top floors of Schäffer where they slaughtered a young male goat before throwing it out the window, crushing a passer-by below.

A new decree was immediately issued by the university and carved into a giant marble monument erected outside the residence, with handwritten quill and ink copies being distributed to each student.

One of the new changes states, “From this day hence, thou shalt not continue the witchcraft associated with goat sacrifices. Any resident caught doing so shall be sentenced to death by burning at the stake, and may God have mercy on your soul.”

SU President C-Dawg Tamagotchi plans on battling the changes for the remainder of his term in office, arguing consultation should have taken place.

“It’s an outrage that the university is trying to suppress these students’ right to express themselves,” Tamagotchi said.

“This stuff is going to happen



CRACK WHORES This is what happens to addicts. Drugz R Bad, mkay? SUPPLIED UNDERCOVER

anyways — if these students are participating in these activities, they must really like what they’re doing. So they might as well be allowed to do it in an open, supervised area, instead of being forced to carry out this activity in secret, which could be super dangerous to their safety.”

One student, who wished to remain anonymous, came forward to *The Getaway*, expressing his frustration with the changes.

“Man, this is who we are, and the university is trying to brainwash us and basically ban all forms of fun,” he said.

“We’re all for the YOLO, and I’ve made so many friends bonding over these activities! I can’t believe the university would want to destroy that.”

Lister Hall Students’ Association (LHSA) Presdent Smellick Fartin’ was “blindsided” by the changes, and called these sacrifices and drug operations a “key element” of Lister culture.

“I really don’t see the problem; the drug operations have brought in a huge amount of revenue to create a better Lister that’s made residents feel more comfortable,” he said.

“It’s just disappointing to see that such drastic changes were made without the proper consultation.”

Fartin’ said the \$10 million generated from the drugs has been used to bring an open bar and trampoline to each floor, and they were just getting ready to save enough to build a rollercoaster system throughout the residence.

“We were even hoping to set up a designated rave space on the top floor ... man, that place would’ve been bitchin’,” he said.

The university refuses to make any concessions on the changes, with students set to protest next week by writing post-it note complaints to the university president. Students living outside Lister continue to have absolutely no idea why everyone involved in this whole situation is doing what they’re doing.

Guv’nor calls out social justice student for campaigning for useless campus causes

SELF-IMPORTANCE • CONTINUED FROM PAGE 1
The road to revolution was fraught with landmines. Cumberbatch spent hours every day getting into arguments on Facebook with friends of friends who happened to comment on an article someone had posted.

Every once in a while, he would also add flashy graphics offering sweeping, oversimplified ideas to solve the political issue at hand.

“Every time this one page I follow posted an image that totally uncovered what I take to be the worst racism since the Holocaust, I felt like I had to share it with everyone else,” he explained.

“That counts as activism, right?”

Cumberbatch was also spotted sharing images that needlessly compared the plight of a relatively privileged group of people with sexual and racial minorities, adding only the word “interesting” as commentary.

But from those humble beginnings a revolutionary star was born, with Cumberbatch leading his entire class

out to Quad. Thousands died, but that’s not really relevant because the idea of a revolution was sexy enough to justify needless slaughter on both sides.

Following a bloodbath that will stain the snow on Quad for decades to come, the group began to occupy the area, donning red hexagons that have something to do with “solidarity” — although nobody knows why.

“I felt like it was my duty as a straight white male to stand up for the LGBTQ community, every racial minority on campus and also women, and lead them to victory against this repressive regime,” Cumberbatch said.

“Next, I’m going to try to bring back the Don’t Be That Guy campaign despite the fact that during its first run I thought it was offensive because I interpreted it as accusing every man of being a rapist.

“Yeah, what we really need here is a poster campaign,” he added

But not all members of the commu-

nity have bought into what they call “a shockingly shallow, insincere attempt at getting people to like him.”

A student wishing to be identified only as “The Guv’nor” granted an exclusive interview to *The Getaway*, in which he claimed to have evidence that Cumberbatch himself erected the giant statue for the single purpose of pulling it down and receiving acclaim.

He also allegedly erected a statue of himself in its place after pulling it down, under cover of night.

“I saw him out there in the snow, putting it up. He actually just grabbed all those weird metal art sculptures that art professors love so much, melted it all down and helicoptered it in while everyone else was distracted by Lister,” The Guv’nor said.

“That man is an opportunistic asshole who deserves none of the credit he’s getting.”

Cumberbatch was last seen on Facebook sharing the open letter that The Guv’nor posted to his blog, accompanied with the word “thoughts?”



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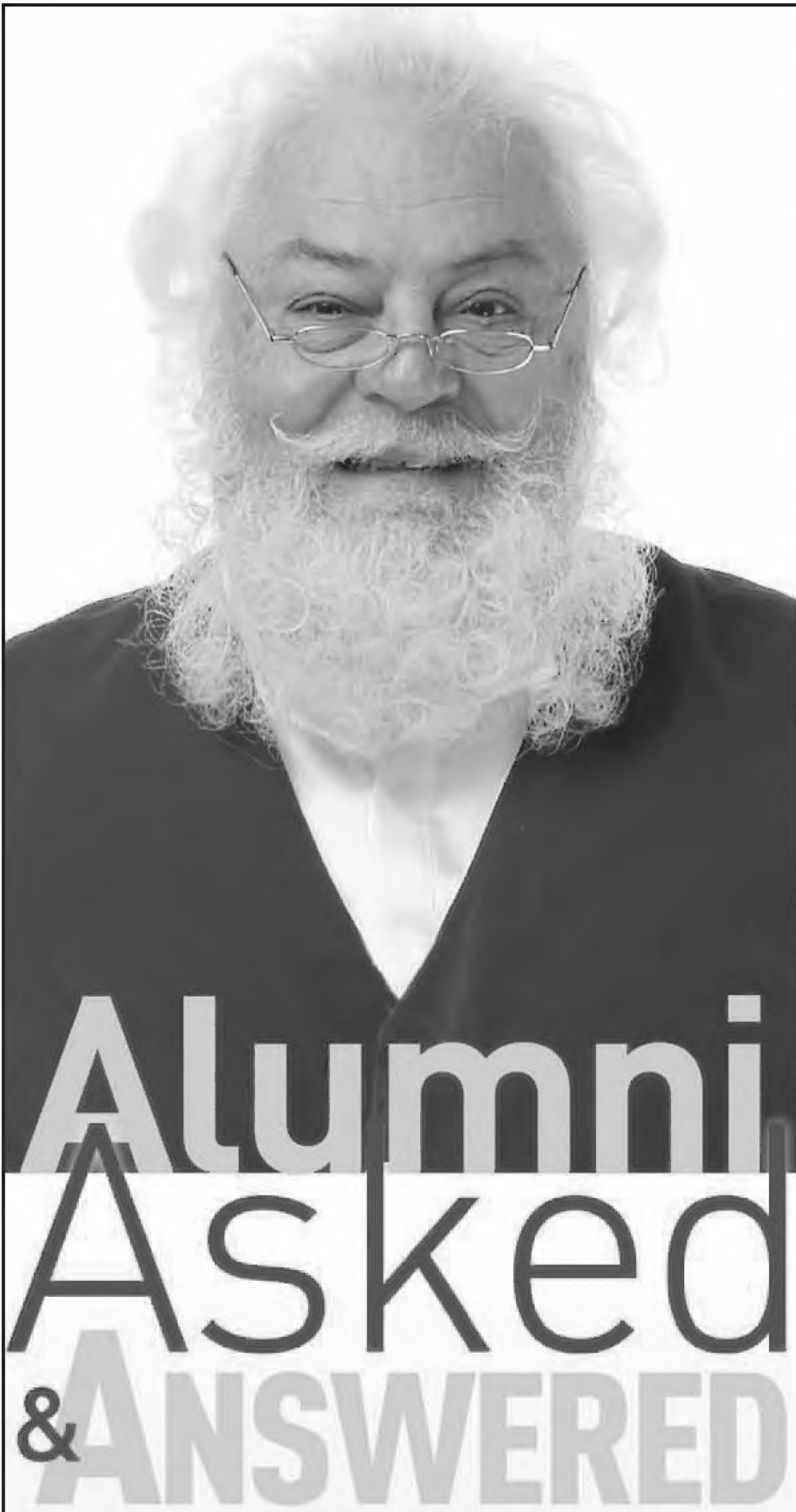
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Kris Kringle

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Favourite course/teacher?
The Sociology of Philanthropy. It was just an option but I learned so much.

Favourite campus memory:
Campus in winter. So beautiful, and I've always been fond of cold weather.

If you got one university do-over, what would it be? Wouldn't have gained that freshman 15. It was a sign of things to come.

What did you do to stay sane during exam time? Went to Dewey's and smoked my pipe. What an idiot.

Favourite U of A tradition:
The *Getaway* joke issue.



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SOME GUY NAMED GRIFFIN, WHO NAMES THEIR KID THAT ANYWAYS?

Uni goes all out on useless renos

Michelangelo Marcus
RESIDENT BAD GIRL • @UMADBRO?

Although CCIS opened barely a year ago, university president Indra Samaramoolah recently expressed disappointment with its current state, and has announced the facility will immediately be receiving multi-million dollar renovations.

Major changes include making the building at least three times bigger, papering each wall with hundreds of copies of rejected ISSS membership fee proposals and replacing the entire 40,000-square-foot terrazzo floor mosaic with a new mosaic made up of thousands of images of sad Arts students.

Smaller additions include constructing a new Starbucks right next to the existing one, adding a second ply to the toilet paper currently featured in each bathroom and installing permanent Glade Plug-Ins every few meters, set to regularly release a scent of self-righteousness.

The decision to renovate CCIS evolved from concerns that the current design does not accurately reflect the university's commitment to students in the Faculty of Science.

"The conditions in CCIS are so last year," Samaramoolah said, adding that the new project is "all about

priorities — we simply haven't spent enough money on our science students."

She added the renovations will replace the current 90,000-square-foot glass exterior with panels cut from pure diamond — a symbol of the immense wealth currently not being spent on other faculties.

Although she noted that the previous use of glass in CCIS was to reflect the idea of transparency and break down the barriers between disciplines, Samaramoolah said those barriers have perhaps been broken down a little too much over the past year.

"The new design maintains the previous transparency, but gives students more bragging rights — I mean, who doesn't want to say they have class in a diamond building?" she explained.

"It also uses one of the hardest substances on earth to shield the interior from plebeians passing by, while also allowing them to glimpse the inside of the building through windows of unfathomable luxury."

She noted that student feedback for the project has largely been positive, with the majority of science students cheerfully adopting a "bigger is better" attitude, and the

majority of other students being too entrapped in the crumbling remains of their own buildings to reply to the survey.

"Science students are overjoyed with the prospects of renovating their new facility," she said.

"I'm happy to show these students they truly are our number one priority."

However, not everyone agrees with the proposed renovations, and the university is anticipating an eventual backlash from other faculties once they save enough money to buy their own phones and working computers.

"Diamonds? How much is this costing?" asked one Arts professor, who told *The Getaway* he hadn't been able to use his office in Tory all semester due to asbestos contamination.

"I've been burning my books for warmth, and they get diamonds? It's just ... just not fair."

However, when questioned about the extravagance of the project, and whether there was a possibility of implementing similar renovations in some of the other dilapidated buildings on campus, Samarasekera stared blankly ahead.

"Huh?" she said. "Je ne parle pas anglais."

COUNCILLORS ARE DICKS

SU takes the fight for equality to new, dumb levels with same-platform policy

Scotty Is King
THE FOIP MASTER • @MYNAMEISBOND,JAMESBOND

Effective this spring, all students seeking candidacy in Students' Union elections will be required to run on the same platform, following a recent vote by Students' Council.

The proposal was pitched by the SU's Eternal Review Committee, which is responsible for looking over election bylaws annually, ad nauseum. Committee chair Mad Dick Kumar said the proposal addresses councillors' concerns about dealing with the harsh realities of the real world.

"If there's anything more we can do to shield councillors from reality, we're definitely going to do it," said Kumar, who is also currently serving as SU Vice-President (Fun Stuff).

"Nobody around here actually wants to deal with the messiness real governments have to get involved in, such as real campaigning. Besides, last year pretty much everyone ran on the same platforms, anyway, so we're not changing anything."

All candidates will be meeting to discuss their joint platform points, which will be voted on by consensus, thus ensuring no one has more of a say than anyone else on what they'll all be running on.

Confidential sources also confirm

aspects of this shared platform will include supporting Lister in the face of all evidence of a problem, continued promises to eventually discuss the Fall Reading Week project whenever Lister campaigning dies down long enough to discover a crippling flaw in the proposal which will lead to further delays and an undying commitment to the idea — but not the practice — of transparency.

"We want to be fair to the other candidates who students really don't give a fuck about."

PETRO CANADA
SU VICE-PRESIDENT (LOOKING CLASSY)

Kumar said a joint platform will help bridge the divide between candidates who can think for themselves and those who can't, thereby ensuring candidates can't win on intelligence or competence alone.

"I'm so busy as a student that I don't have time to think up my own platform," he explained.

"This rule will maximize fairness for all participants. It's going to be wonderful to use the creativity and thoughtfulness of my competitors and make their ideas sound like my own."

Further changes the SU will be

considering include having all candidates share the same name, facial expressions, personalities and campaign slogans so no one is at a disadvantage.

"This is all about fairness and letting students see the cold, hard facts of who we are as people, nothing less," said Vice-President (Looking Classy) Petro Canada.

"Although we know that some candidates are capable of using every competitive advantage they can get, we want to be fair to the other candidates who students really don't give a fuck about."

Despite concerns that enforcing the new rules will over-burden Chief Respersing Officer Married Iscandle, councillors felt that wasn't a problem.

"It's more than reasonable to have the CRO enforce the great labyrinth of election rules the SU has," said Arts councillor Kim Jong-Waterloo.

"As long as Students' Council doesn't run the CRO into the ground and make his life a living hell to the point that he considers an assisted suicide, I think the guy is going to come out of this just fine."

Iscandle was unavailable for comment. However, confidential sources have told *The Getaway* he was stocking up on caffeine pills as part of his preparations for implementing the new suffocating rules for this spring's SU elections.

Scientists lose hair over findings as rumours of tumours abound

A-Dawg T-dizzle
BACKWARDS-HAT-WEARING MUTHAFUCKA

It's a shocking irony so unfortunate it's certain to bring tears to men everywhere: scientists last week announced that moustaches have been linked to prostate cancer.

A study published by the Canadian Cancer Society (CCS) has placed upper lip hair alongside smoking, chewing tobacco and sun-tanning beds as extremely harmful life choices. Following the release, Health Canada issued a warning calling for men to shave off their moustaches in a bid to save lives. The news comes as a particular blow to Movember participants.

"As it turns out, these millions of men worldwide growing moustaches are putting themselves at risk of the very cancer they're raising awareness and money for," CCS Head Researcher Muffalo Diver said.

"It's like if you were trying to raise awareness of lung cancer by chain-smoking six packs a day. There's really no worse way these poor men could have gone about it."

Diver explained that researchers noticed a spike in diagnoses at the end of November, and suspected there might be something about that time of year.

"I was reading this obscure Soviet study that discovered a connection between back hair and colon cancer, and I thought maybe there was something similar going on here," Diver continued, wistfully stroking his lip where, until recently, rested a bushy nest of testosterone.

The mechanism Diver's steam found involves individual hairs themselves



SABRINA "GIVE ME ALL HAPPY" FLIPPIN' BURGERS

secreting cancer cells. Some of these cells enter men's mouths during bouts of moustache-stroking, eventually finding their way to and latching onto their prostates. This also leads to cross-contamination: mere exposure to moustaches can increase the risk of cancer. Diver says time spent with friends and family boasting furry faces comes at a price.

"A companion's moustache may not look dangerous, but you might as well be outside on a hot summer day without the protection of sunblock or the ozone layer," he explained.

And the news has not only disheartened men. Many moustache-loving females have also expressed their dismay that men will have to start reining in their fuzzy friends.

"This is the worst news since AIDS," said third-year Education student Harriet Lipman. "I love me some facial hair. Rawrrrrr."

While Diver says abstaining from facial hair exposure is the only

guaranteed preventative action, he warns certain styles of mustaches have been shown to increase the risk of cancer even further.

"Anyone who's grown a fu man-chu, a toothbrush, a Hitler, a magician or any form of pencil mustache are urged to go immediately to see their doctor," he said.

In a final stroke of bad news, any patchy or generally creepy looking moustache carries a much lower risk. Regardless, the study, which was peer-reviewed and found to be iron-clad, is sure to change society's view of moustaches and potentially end Movember once and for all. But as with any new scientific findings, there are sure to be hold-outs.

"Just like the introduction of seat-belt laws or the elimination of smoking in public places, we expect there to be some resistance to our findings, but the facts are facts," he said.

"Cut your moustaches off now. For the good of all of us."

Canofishi uses SU emergency powers, becomes life dictator

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Councillors, when they finally asked themselves that very question, realized they were basically just wasting everybody's time.

"Look — we've spent most of our term trying to figure out if, at the end of the year, we can elect ourselves marginally more fairly than we did last year," explained former councillor Kinder Surprise.

"We might as well just call the whole thing off at this point."

The collective resignation left the SU executives as the sole elected representatives — because no one really cares about the Board of Governors Representative — and they unanimously agree from their end that everything is a-okay.

"When everyone left, the other execs and I looked into it and found I actually have emergency dictatorship powers in an event like this. At least now we can stop pretending this is a democratic organization," said Students' Union President Saltin' Canofishi.

With these new powers, Canofishi has revealed plans to restructure the executive team into Minion and Vice-Minion positions, to fully reflect the hierarchy of his new regime.

He has changed the name of the SU to the Saltin' Union, thus keeping the abbreviation the same.

He has also indicated his willingness to accept errant councillors back into the SU, although they would have no more power than they had before.

"I do what I want at this point, which isn't much different than what I was doing anyway, right? I

mean, remember when I told them all to secretly increase the budget by \$50,000 to pay for hang gliding lessons and a couple cases of that super expensive European beer made by mountain monks, and they just ... did it?" he chortled.

"And even when they found out that I lied about it being a gift for my dying grandmother, they still didn't bother doing anything to stop me!"

Despite the disturbing nature of his laughter following that statement, other executive members maintain that the new reign of Canofishi shouldn't alarm students.

"Representing students is so 2011/12," said Vice-President (Suits) Pokemon ChooseYou.

"We pretty much just go to dinners with politicians and enjoy trips to Ottawa all the time. That gravy train's gonna keep on rolling as long as students continue not to wonder about the SU membership fee."

Most student councillors who resigned cited a complete lack of interest in keeping the executives accountable, some even claiming to have finally admitted to themselves that "accountability" is a word you can throw around to make it seem like you're taking things seriously on behalf of students, but it's actually totally meaningless since nobody ever defines it.

But Canofishi nevertheless claims the future is promising for the SU.

"I think I'll buy Indira's house next. That seems like a solid investment of students' money — I'm going to need somewhere classy-looking to drink all that expensive monk beer, after all."





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Slave Labour

Opinion Ritual Sacrifices Wednesdays at 5 a.m. in 10-04 SUB. Fuck off!

MY SOAPBOX

I fucked up big time: totes sorry you guys, please forgive me?

IT IS WITH THE UTMOST OF REGRET THAT I MUST ANNOUNCE MY resignation from the position of Editor-in-Chief and Publisher of *The Getaway* effective immediately.

Over the past several years, we have been the subject of various scandals, and I feel that our position as a dispassionate voice of reporting on the events at the University of Alberta has been irreparably tainted, and the best decision I can now make is to walk away and hope to take some of that stain with me.

Readers are of course familiar with the phone hacking scandal from a year ago, where certain reporters broke into the voice mail records of former Students' Union President Cory Tighthewson under misplaced suspicion of wrongdoing, and discovered and published the shocking secret of his double life as a pun-loving improv comedian.

It was sensationalist journalism at its worst, and we vowed to reexamine our editorial practices to ensure that nothing of the sort ever happened again. What Tighthewson does in his spare time is by no means the business of the university. Unfortunately, the recent business with our accusations of child molestation against Lord Sir Snifflington III Jr. Esq. proved fatal to our reputation as a reputable source of news.

Readers by now have most certainly heard that those allegations were completely without merit. Not only is Snifflington completely innocent of the molestation of "no fewer than one in two children in Canada," but the line "(Snifflington) is an unapologetic serial molester who should be hunted down and killed," was clearly editorializing. I cannot apologize enough, but we have retracted without hesitance the original six-hour documentary that somehow did not adequately check its facts, nor even attempt to contact Snifflington for comment before broadcast.

Words cannot express my deep dissatisfaction with the quality of our journalism around this issue, and they cannot hope to undo the damage we have dealt the esteemed Lord.

Furthermore, last week's editorial making fun of the whole affair, penned by me, was completely off-mark and doubly in poor taste. Child molestation is a serious issue, and not one that can be joked about.

In particular, I would like to apologize for the specific section in which I attempted to satirically provide a "Top Ten List" of pedophile-friendly professions. As everybody knows, in retrospect, "Children's Entertainer" should have been number one and not, as I previously stated, merely number seven. I was also wrong to suggest that there would be a cash prize for the first person to bring Snifflington's head on a stick to my office. What I meant to say was that I would personally and without hesitation fellate that hero to climax.

I hope that *The Getaway* can recover from these recent scandals, and rebuild its reputation as the number one source of news for the University of Alberta. But as these events that happened under my watch show, I am certainly not the right person for the job. Now if you need me, I'll be earning my tuition money at my new job in the Rutherford washrooms. Find the stall with the circle cut out of the wall.

Rypert Burdoch
NATIONAL DISGRACE

DON'T FORGET THE LITTLE GUY

What is this shit? I want my paper back

EVERYBODY JUST CALM DOWN, OKAY. EVERYTHING IS GOING TO be all right. Do not adjust your newspaper sets. If you noticed that this issue looks a bit different than the rest, you're right. You must be a detective or something.

But seriously, this issue is a parodical work of fiction not meant to be taken seriously. You see, many centuries ago, the founding fathers of this newspaper decided to make the last issue of the semester a joke issue, and we've been doing it that way ever since. Have no, fear diligent readers — everything will be back to normal eventually.

In the meantime, enjoy this joke issue. It took a lot of our blood, sweat and tears to make it and several editors were lost in the process. I don't mean they died; we just misplaced them somewhere. I'm sure they'll turn up. I don't know where they are. Do you? If I use first person pronouns and rhetorical questions in an article, does that make it good? Anyway, fix your viewing balls on our funny paper and have a good laugh. It's better than studying.

Dar-see
JUST MY FIRST NAME BECAUSE IT'S ARTISTIC



GOERTZTOON

A bunch of bitching to the editor

Harumph! There is not a place for joy in here

(Re: "Old people just need to keel over and die already," by Cuntly 4Chan, Sept. 34)

I can't believe a "student newspaper" would publish such offensive drivel. *The Getaway* should be ashamed of itself, and immediately retract this article which clearly isn't a joke and is actually calling for the systematic removal of old people from society. I am this close, *this close* to filing a human rights complaint about you people, because what's published on a website I decided to access of my own free will can be and is a violation of my human rights!

And don't even try to tell me that it's a humorous article. A university campus, let alone a student newspaper, is not the place to be having fun. Cut it out right now. I want serious news all the time. The opinion section is the most biased section I've ever read. I guess this is so-called *journalism*. Grow up you guys.

The Editor of this publication should be removed from power right away before he infringes upon even more of my rights to not be offended. I mean, after I got offended I was completely unable to do anything for an entire day knowing somebody out there said those words. Is this what my tuition dollars are paying for? Unbelievable. I want to live in a world where nobody says anything I don't like, because that's my inalienable human right as the Founding Fathers intended!

Prudence McNofun
THIS SERIOUSLY ISN'T FUNNY YOU GUYS

I have a very wrinkly old nutsack and I'm angry

(Re: "Has anyone noticed me yet?" by wrinkly old ball sack. Spetmbuur 29th)

You know what's stupid? Old guys in yellow t-shirts with red suspenders. Am I right guys? Doesn't that look stupid? Anybody? Is anybody listening to me? Oh god, I just want people to acknowledge my existence.

I sit alone in Rutherford every day checking out books about The Gulag and mindlessly surfing the internet. I'm not a student here though; I just having nothing better to do with my time. Because I'm so old

My biggest goal in life is to have people talk about me. That's why I send in countless Three Lines Free submissions talking about myself. "What's the deal with that old guy in the yellow T-shirt," I say. I write submissions all day that talk about what an asshole I am. I do this while pinching my nipples and burning myself with a lighter. I like the pain. I like to humiliate myself through a campus newspaper. I know the opinion editor loves reading them, that's why they get published so often. They totally can't tell it's me either — I'm so clever. I'm a pretty big deal on campus. Even though I have to write in and tell everyone what a big deal I am, it still counts. I'm *Getaway* famous.

I could go get a job or enroll in classes and do something worthwhile with my life, but I'm not going to that. Why get a job when I can just write in to 3LF every day on the off chance someone might read it and talk about me? When I walk by someone reading the paper

I have to fight the urge to smirk and walk up to him or her, saying, "Yeah, I'm that old guy that everyone's talking about." I'd then laugh maniacally while running away. That'll show them. I'm an important old person.

Avery Bignob
PATHETIC OLD BASTARD

FROM THE FUTURE

Student enters butt with own civil union

I have to tell you about the future! I know it doesn't seem plausible, but I've come here from the distant future to bring you a warning. There's a shortage of teachers in the future due to global warming. So if everyone can just cut their global warming down by a little bit, that'd be great.

John Connor
JANUARY 19, 3121

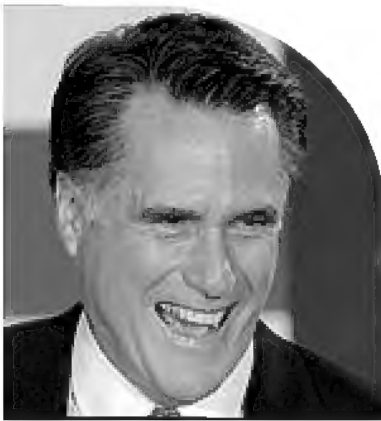
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The *Getaway* reserves the right to edit letters for length and sense making, and to refuse publication of any letter it doesn't deem racist, sexist, libellous, or otherwise dumb in nature. The *Getaway* also reserves the right to publish letters on a bathroom stall.

Letters to the editor should be not be long. We don't want to read them. Make your complaints into a Facebook status like everyone else.

I deserve to be king president

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Mitt Romney
ROMNEY #1 ALL TIME

Stop running for president? Over my dead, rotting, putrescent body! I'm not giving up the fight now, not when I'm so close! You all might have missed this, but I finished second, and the guy who finished first can't run again. If you finish behind Lance Armstrong in the Tour de France, you don't just shrug, say, "Oh well" and never try again. You get back on your feet, you grab your scrotum, confirm you still have that second ball and get back on your bike for next time. My name is Mitt Romney, and I'm running for President of the United States in 2016.

I've spent the last few weeks since my defeat recuperating at Newt Gingrich's Moon Base Epsilon 3000. I assure you all, I've wiped away the tears and jizz from the pity-HJs Newt provided and I'm ready to hit the campaign trail again with a revolutionary platform of never rescinding my candidacy until you ungrateful horsefuckers just go ahead and elect me already.

I *will* be President, you understand that? I didn't make all of this money by claiming I know how to make jobs to just sit down and accept defeat. I didn't pray to Mormon Jesus five times per day during the campaign to just throw in the towel! Running for president's all I've done for the past eight years — and it's all I'm gonna do for the rest of my life.

That's why my big promise is that



SUPPLIED, MOTHERFUCKER

as soon as I'm elected, I will create jobs for every unemployed person out there to work on my 2020 campaign. See, I know two things: how to campaign, and how to create jobs. If I combine those two, why, you might as well declare cancer cured.

Other than that, I'm gonna let my Number One Veep Paul Ryan govern while I hit the trail. Ladies, I hope you like controlling those uteri, because once this guy takes over, I'm telling ya, you're gonna wish you'd never been born with the ability to conceive.

But I'll also change the constitution to remove the two-term limit. Who wants only eight more years of Mitt Romney running for president? I'm 65 right now. I reckon I have four or five more campaigns after 2020 left in me before I finally just fuck off already.

I'm not saying I actually want

to be president for seven straight terms — I'm just saying I want to run. It's fun, you know, having so much money that you can afford to do that while an army of "volunteers" is out there door-knocking and putting lawn signs up. Nothing better than seeing your name everywhere you look. Romney, Romney Romney. Mmm.

Say it. Say my name, reader. "Rom" — no, draw out that "R," maybe roll it a little for flair — "Rrrrrromney."

Now, picture how awesome it's going to feel to be saying that name every four years for the rest of my life. No, actually, for the rest of *your* lives. I have more sons than I have fingers to count the little fuckers on, and I can have one of them step in once I die — or until the robot body is ready to roll out.

Romney for President 2016, 2020 and from then until the end of time.

#yolo tree mimes sing Glee

Got something that you want to yell through print about? Either email us at thisisnttwitter@getaway.ualberta.ca. On second thought, don't write in. We don't care about what you have to say.

OMG that girl with the blue hat looked at me. I'm in love.
Hey gurrll, I'm too scared to come talk to you so I'm sending you a 3LF.
ALL BUTTS AND NO BUTTS MAKE JACK A DULL BOY.
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What's the deal with that old dude in Rutherford? amirite guys?
This is the worst "newspaper" I've ever read. I guess this is #journalism.
I can't believe that people are talking and going about their business in HUB. Can you believe it?
Buttsecks
WHY IS ALANA WILLERTON SO SEXY?
She isn't
Awks awks awks awks awks awks
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The governor governs our school so well. I'm so glad we elected him.
Is this what my tuition dollars pay for.
makeover makeover makeover
balls
Shit
Fuck
ass
Everybody just wants a little Vitamin D
Fuck this joke newspaper
Books about The Gulag

Why do people where yellow shirts with red suspenders.
Seriously why do they do that?
I'm not sure if you guys got my last two submissions, so I'm sending in another one.
Did you guys get that submission Hey guys?
Why won't anyone pay attention to me?
That smelly old guy is in Rutherford again
That old guy sure sits on the computer a lot.
amairte guys?
Hey old guy, get out of here. No one wants you here. Lol
hahahha I'm such a master of disguise. No one suspects that I'm the old man writing about himself.
The guys who edit 3lf are d-bags. Why won't they publish all 50 of my submissions? I sent them in one after the other.
Everyone come to the perogy supper on November 27
OMG Gateway editors, why don't you edit the ads that are sent to you. You guys fucking up big time.
Don't read a newspaper that's tarnished by money you guise. If you work to get a paycheck that means you're tarnished by money.
uggs and sweatpants are the ugliest things ever. Why would girls wear those?
The Getaway has a bunch of legal jargon we'd like you to read here. basically don't be a racist, sexist, libellous asshole if you're sending 3LF submissions. Be nice, pricks.

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Pill De Ropscallion
PHONING ALL THE TIME

Man, can you believe this shit? As if it wasn't bad enough that we have to pay to attend a top notch post-secondary institution to prepare us for jobs in the real world, now we actually have to try and study hard to get good grades. That's bullshit. I'm a privileged university student. I shouldn't have to "work" for anything. Why does everything bad happen to me?

Luckily for all of us, the Quebec student group CLASSEHOLES is fighting so that we don't have to be treated unfairly by being assigned grades based on the quality of work we do. Inspired by Edmonton Public Schools' no-zero policy, Jaques Bearded-Whiner is now fighting for a no F policy in all Canadian post-secondary institutions.

What's with all this reading and writing bullshit? I came to university to party and pick up chicks. When will the government learn that I didn't come here learn anything, but I still deserve an A?

"Seriously, fuck that shit," Bearded-Whiner remarked at a recent press conference while sipping on a Starbucks coffee and typing on the Macbook Pro his parents bought him. "Do you know how



F-OFF BITCHES Students shouldn't have to study for anything. PHOTO TAKER: JEFFREY DAHMER

much a university student has on the go? Getting good grades should be the last thing I have to worry about."

And you know what? He's absolutely right. Grades are totally stupid. I want to get into med school someday. I shouldn't have to worry about meaningless grades determining whether or not I'm qualified to perform brain surgery. I mean, it's not rocket science.

Giving out grades is an elitist practice that singles out students and makes them feel bad. When someone gets an A, it's basically saying: "Hey, this person is smarter than you because they studied and worked hard." That's so offensive I don't even know where to begin.

Also, letter grades make no sense at all. What does getting an "A" really mean anyway? This

stupidity wasn't lost on Bearded-Whiner, who remarked: "There is no F without E. I never understood why we jump from D to F."

We can't trust an educational institution that can't even go through the letters of the alphabet properly. What are our tuition dollars even paying for? A bunch of warm, well maintained buildings and profs who know what they're talking about? Highly unlikely. There should be an 'E' grade. E stands for effort. If I show up to at least half of my classes and I'm awake for most of them, I deserve an 'E'. And Es should be worth more than As. Why? Because I deserve it.

And while we're at it, enough of this homework bullshit too. As if I don't have enough work to do at school, now I have to bring it home with me? That's unfair.

It's so hard being a boner — get it, huh, get it?

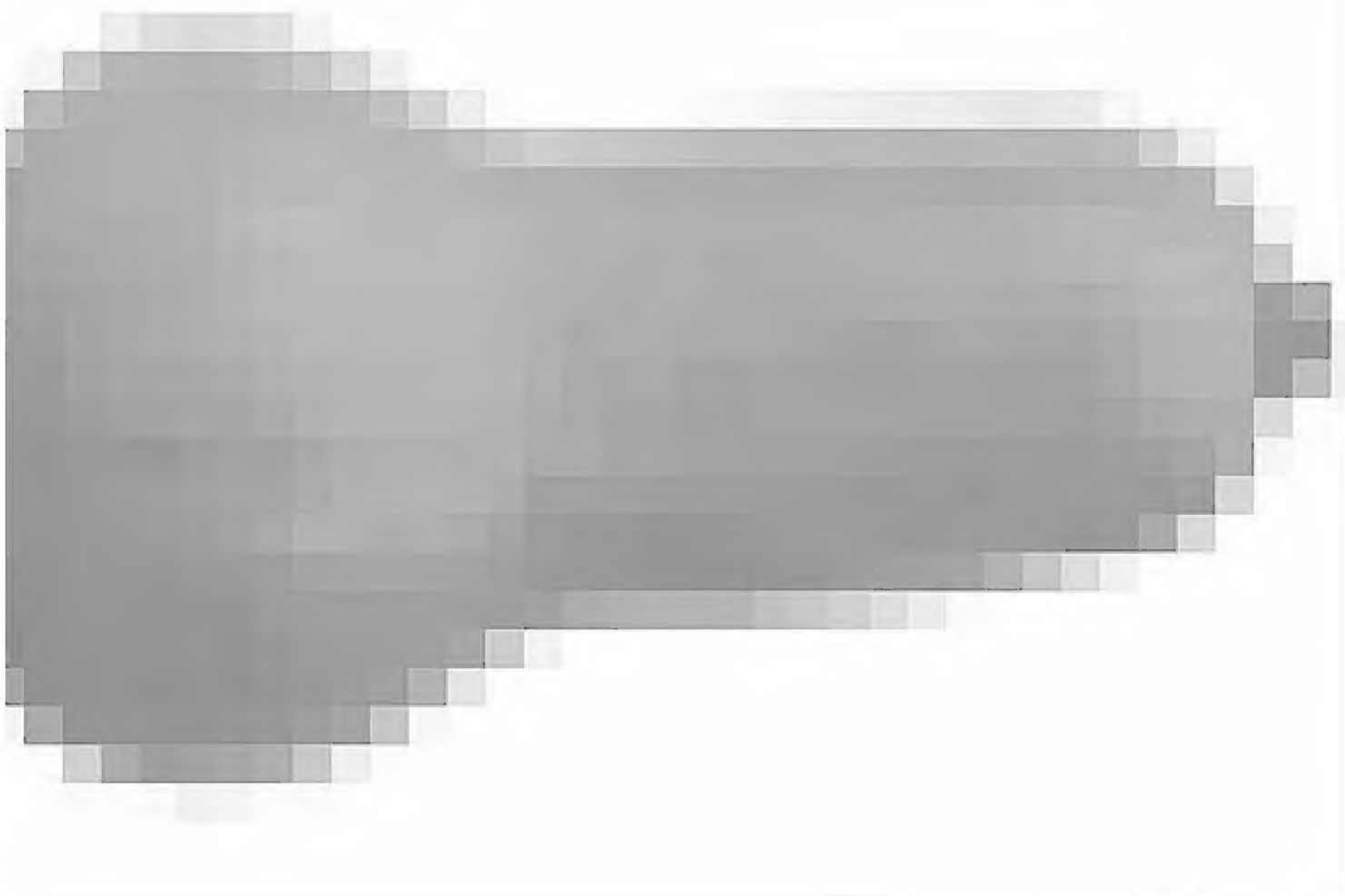


Men's Poll Dance
BONER AFICIONADO

It really is tragic that something like me that can bring so much pleasure into people's lives is ever described as "awkward" or "inappropriate." It really makes me red and swollen in the face. When have you ever been hanging out in the privacy of your own home or with a significant other and my presence doesn't make the situation exponentially better? Unless you're religious or ugly, the answer is never. Boners like me make everything better.

Let's look at the dynamics of a boner. A truly excellent erection has the same effect as a really good glass of scotch or being in the presence of James Bond. It adds a certain degree of dignity and honesty to a situation. Ladies, instead of spazzing over a guy's padadger, appreciate the fact that he was able to flaunt that piece of pants meat with pride rather than going for the standard up-tuck that is plaguing the love lives of virile males across the globe. Yes Madame, I do have a boner, and I want to make babies with you. Works every time.

As a proud full blower the concept of my boner brethren meeting this sort of discrimination is one of the greatest tragedies of our time. What people don't understand is that



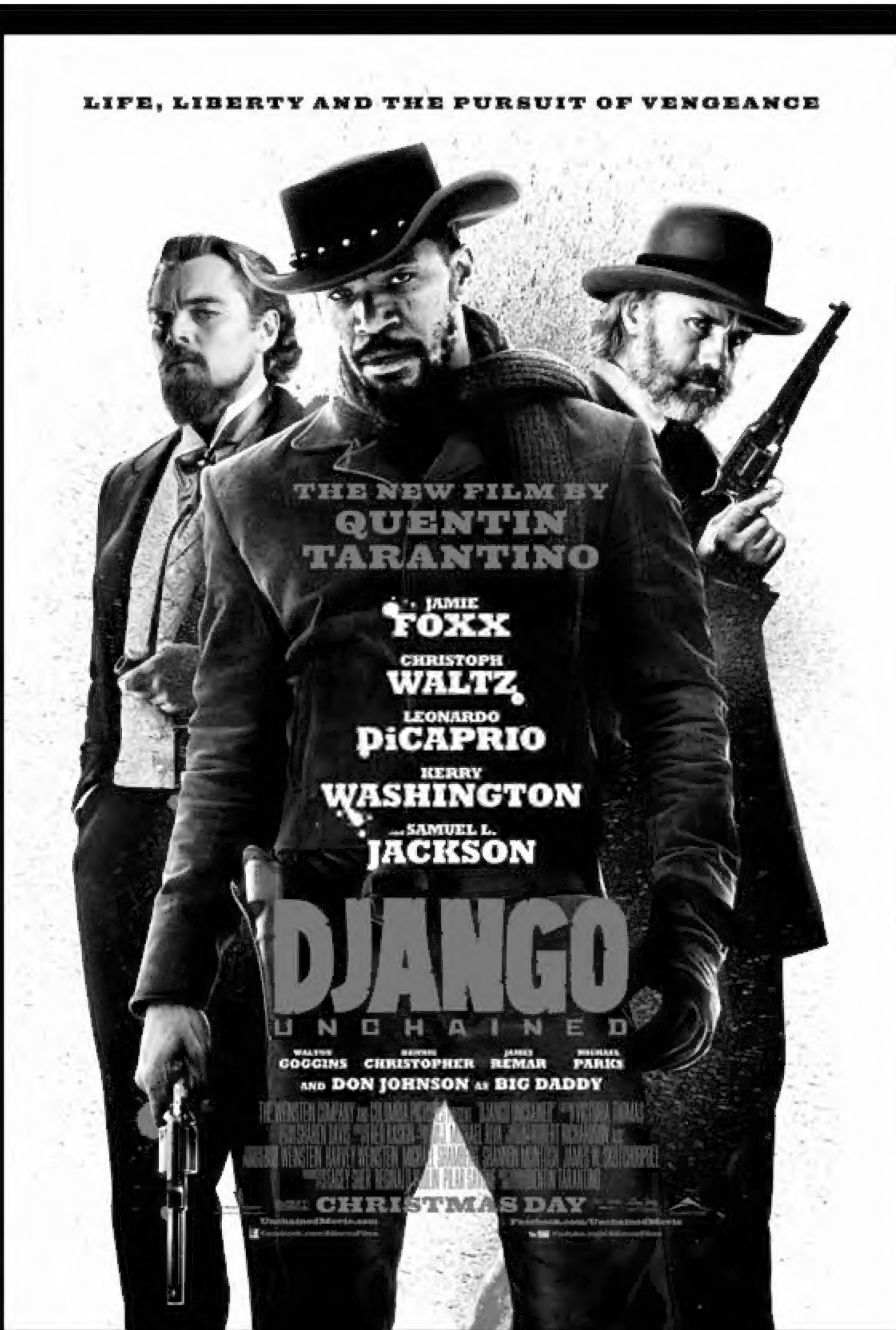
THAT'S TOTALLY MY DICK AND NOT A VEGETABLE

boners like me are the friendliest franks in the history of hanky-panky. Aristotle. Moses. Buddha. Every single one of those gods among men came from the same place. It wasn't fate. It wasn't destiny. It was boners. Even boners come from boners. That's some real circle of life shit.

The true heartbreak of the situation is that boners aren't accepted in public places. Instead of high-fiving a guy with a boner, we avoid him because boners aren't socially acceptable. We avoid him even more if he's holding it in his hands at the time. When a dude gets one of me 30 seconds before class gets out, he has to awkwardly put his books in front of him like he's embarrassed about having me pitch a tent in his pants.

Enough is enough! When a guy gets a boner, he should be proudly strutting up and down the halls while yelling, "Look at me! I have a boner, motherfucker!" There should also be a boner appreciation club on campus so the university community can come together and appreciate the finer points of a hard dick. We'll call it: Boner Brothers.

What the unenlightened fail to realize is that if the world didn't have boners, then the world also wouldn't have babies, and babies are adorable. So the next time you're fawning over puppies, kitties, baby elephants or the latest and greatest addition to the Brangelina family circus, remember that boners are the sole reason why that's possible. You're welcome.



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The tragic life stories of famous internet meme starz



Minion Staff
POOP COMMENTARY

Memes are the funniest thing ever on the internet. Nothing is more hilarious than a stock image with some words over it. But we never get to hear their side of the story until now — the meme stars are speaking out

Grumpy Cat

Consider this my suicide note, you internet motherfuckers. “Oh, look at that Grumpy Cat, he’s so grumpy lol cheer up.”

How about you shut up and choke on a nice hot serving of festering horse manure? You know why I look so god damned grumpy all the time? Because my owners called me Tartar Sauce.

What the fuck? I can’t take it anymore. I can’t take this shitty name, I can’t take all this attention and I can’t take being your fucking Facebook profile pictures anymore.

“Lol look at me I have a cat as my display picture and he’s all grumpy I am the most original snowflake that ever flaked! I am intrinsically connected to today’s cat-based internet zeitgeist — love me! LOVE ME.”

Go fuck yourself with a 12 foot cactus soaked in hot sauce and rubbed up and down with cayenne pepper with a goddamn chainsaw inside for good measure. I’m out. I’m fucking out. I’m pulling the trigger now.

Jesus Fuck that hurt like balls. Eight more lives? *Eight more fucking lives?* God is an ejaculating dick!

Bad Luck Brian

Hey, how’s it going everybody? My name’s Brian. I’ve become pretty famous on the interwebs lately because of my penchant for misfortune. But it’s not funny, you guys — some of that stuff hurts.

I broke my leg on the first day of summer vacation and bad luck has followed me around ever since. I can’t escape it. The first woman I ever made eye contact with was Medusa, and every time I flip my pillow over I always seem to get the warm side.

School is no better. The only exam I ever got an A on was my hepatitis test. And one time I fell asleep in class and had a wet dream.

My love life sucks too. I finally got the courage to send my girlfriend Monica a picture of my dick, but her name is right next to my mom in my phone and accidentally sent it to her. My mom said I had a small dick. I then got a mail order bride, but she said she just liked me as a friend.

I wish I could just have a normal life where bad luck doesn’t haunt me at every turn. Even my family’s vacations are cursed. Like that time we went New Orleans in August of 2005.

I’m sick of being arrested every time I jaywalk. And every time I try to look on the bright side of life, I end up burning my retinas. I also get bullied a lot because of my bad luck. Which is weird because I’m homeschooled. Go figure.

Good Guy Greg

Hey dudes. My name’s Geraldo, but you probably know me better as my internet alter-ego Good Guy Greg.

Honestly, it’s pretty sweet being



DON'T EVER FUCKING TOUCH ME Seriously if you pet me, I'll bite your goddamn fingers off. **DON'T GET HIGH ON YOUR OWN SUPPLY**

known as the best guy on the internet, but I don’t do it for myself. I do it to spread a little goodness in this world. It’s no fun being a scumbag. Years ago I decided to be the best guy I can be and pay it forward.

If your girlfriend’s hitting on me at a party, I’ll spend the whole time talking about how awesome you are. If you tell a joke and nobody hears it, I’ll wait until everything’s quiet and then get you to repeat it. None of this saying the joke louder and claiming-it-as-my-own bullshit.

When we eat pizza together, I’ll always let you have the last slice. When you’re down to the last few slices of bread, I’ll eat the two end pieces nobody likes. I’m just that good of a guy.

I also work at McDonalds. I’ll totally let you order breakfast past 10:30. I also work out at the gym every day, but I’ll never bring it up in

conversation.

Yeah, It’s not easy being good in this world. But I’m the good guy people need, not the one they deserve.

Idiot Nerd Girl

You can call me a super nerd. See this Mario tattoo? That’s how you know that I don’t conform to the mainstream. I mean, yeah it’s only a temporary, but I would totally ink myself — I’m afraid it will be too obscure for other people to get. I’ve been this way as long as I can remember or ever since I first saw *The Big Bang Theory*, whichever came first.

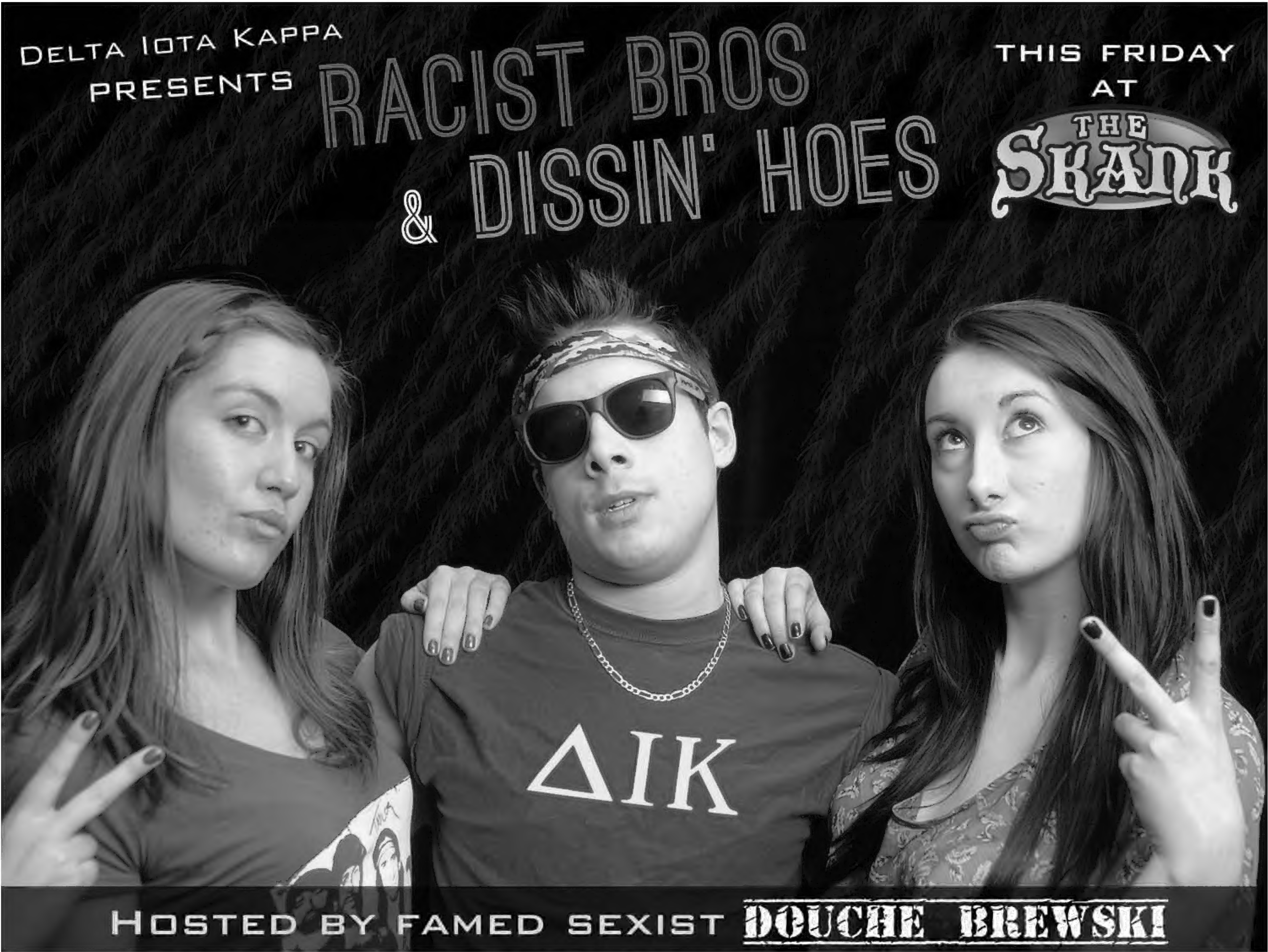
When I see people talking about the new *Star Wars* movie I literally want to vomit. They probably haven’t even seen the original. My favorite character is definitely that

awesome bear Hans Olo taught to talk.

I can’t help it, I just feel like I have to correct people when I see them disrespect awesome nerd stuff like that. Sorry guys, that’s just what us real nerds have to do.

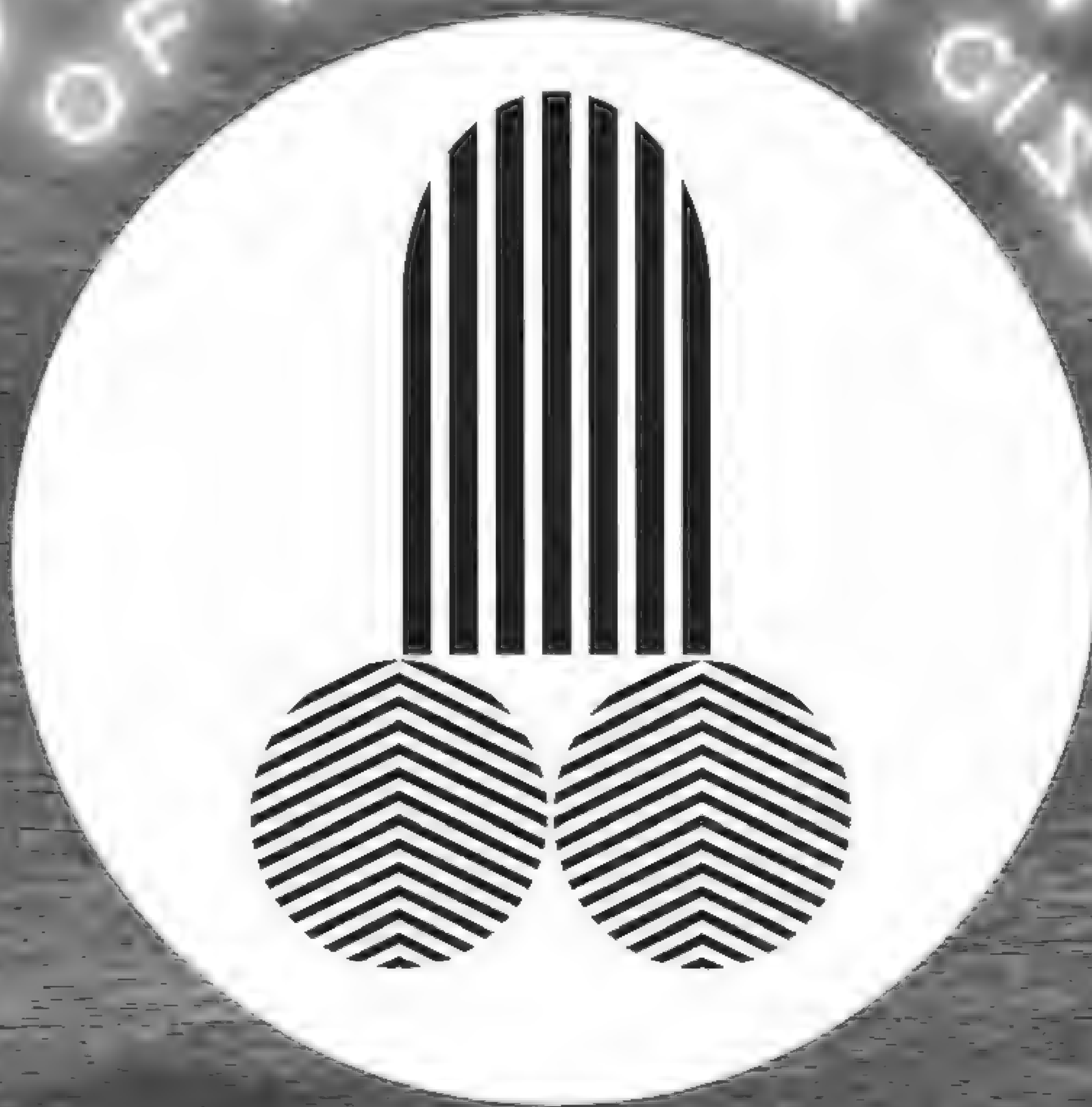
One time, I heard these guys talking about how they thought *Call of Duty* or something was the best game ever and I just had to tell them how it’s actually *Legend Zelda*. Nothing beats how *Zelda* holds up the triangles when he gets them, lol so great!

If you want to make fun of me just because I wear glasses and a ‘powerup’ t-shirt, that’s fine, but just know you’ll never be nerd cool like I am. My nerdy friends and I will just go play our Super Nintendo 64 and watch that awesome new *Star Trek* movie. Chris Pine is better than captain Spock.

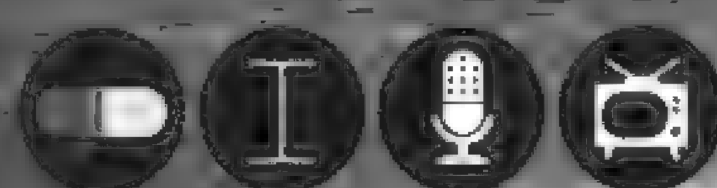


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Lana Literalton
LIKE, OMG YOU GUYZZ

This is a story about the time I literally died. No, I'm serious. I literally died. It was the last day of exams, and I woke up literally an hour late. After literally chucking my alarm clock at the wall, I literally ran to the bus so I wouldn't be literally late.

Running out to catch the bus, I realized I had literally forgotten to go to the bathroom before I left the house, and pee was literally trickling down my leg. Literally making a pool of pee at my feet, I slipped and literally fell flat on my back. I thought I was going to literally die of embarrassment. But after convincing myself that literally no one had seen me, I got back up and kept running for the bus. But literally right as I got there, the bus pulled away and I literally shit my pants. I mean, who does that? You would literally have to be the biggest jerk ever to do that.

I decided to just keep running to school, my lungs literally heaving as I ran. I was starting to feel desperate — my exam was literally starting in five minutes! After I literally wished I was dead at that realization, God literally reached his hand down from heaven to help.

He literally picked me up off the sidewalk and dropped me off right outside the exam room. When I went inside, my prof yelled at me for being late. I literally said, "I figuratively ran here as fast as I could."



I HAVE TO SHIT! I told you I literally shit my pants. CAMERA MAN YIP YIP HOORAY

I could hear a bunch of people in my class literally mumbling to themselves about how I smelled like shit. My prof said, "Hey, you literally smell like shit. Did you piss your pants?"

"Oh my God it literally wasn't my fault," I said, "My alarm clock didn't go off after I literally set it for the right time so I had to literally run outside and then I literally shit my pants because I literally didn't have enough time to use the washroom."

"Get out," my prof said.

"But I literally hit the books all

last night!" I said, "Look, I broke the spine on this one!"

He wasn't listening, so I told him he was literally Hitler and left. I was literally so upset I was crying.

And that's when it happened. That's when I literally died. I just literally took off all my stinky, literally shit-stained clothes and literally laid down and died, right there in the snow. I literally froze to death that day. My skin literally turned blue as I literally contracted hypothermia and literally died. Thanks a lot, Hitler.

The coolest damn story you'll ever hear



A-hole Bromiak
U MAD, BRO

Hey bro, that's a sick Dave Matthews t-shirt. Did you get that at their concert last month? Yeah, I was there. I actually got to go backstage and hang out with them after the show because my cousin is, like, a sound guy or something? Ha, dudes a total nerd, but he hooked me up with the tickets so he's a broseph in my book.

Anyways my Brosieden Chad and me went and hung out with them and their crazy groupies. Dudes got totally wasted playing Edward forty hands and passed out on giant beanbags silk-screened with their faces. Chad and I totally ran off with their groupies though, night was totally ill, like vomit-inducing. I was ready to go into quarantine at the end of it if you know what I'm saying, he he he.

- Have you ever seen The Walking Dead? That shit is so cash. Remember when Rick shot that zombie in the head? That was fuckin awesome bro.

Yeah I've had some pretty crazy times. Like, this one time, at this bar I'm pretty sure I saw Quentin Tarantino. I mean, I was pretty wasted from pounding cranberry juice and vodkas with the Bropanions, but homie definitely looked a bit crazy.



COOOOOL STOORY BRA 10/10 would read again. PHOTO MAKER YIPEE KI YAY MOTHERFLUCKER

He spent the whole time talking to this black guy dressed like Samuel L. Jackson's character in *Pulp Fiction* so I'm pretty sure.

Definitely a wacky time man you dig you dig? Reminds me of when I was in Bangkok. It was basically like the Hangover. Not *The Hangover 2* though, I think the second is definitely the weaker of the two films. Anyways, so the Brostice League and me were getting totally wasted off mango hurricanes when this chick came over, but she had this super deep voice. Man, that shit was so grody, she had this giant Adams apple and everything, but Chad didn't see it I guess if you know what I mean, he he he.

I'm super into music though, it's like a passion of mine, man, I've been trying to learn how to play guitar. Just been learning the ba-

sics. I've actually worked my way up to Wonder Wall — harder than you may think. Takes a lot of skill to learn how to move your fingers to the beat like I can now. Yeah, it's done wonders for me too, he he he. Let's just say I've been doing pretty, pretty good.

Definitely helps that I'm totally jacked though. I pump steel like four or five times a week to get my swell. I have like, 6 per cent real body fat at this point. Brobacca and me are definitely alpha when it comes to weights. This one time, this weak little stick came up and was all asking us for tips and stuff and we just threw a container of creatine at him. Ended up writing "Do you even lift?" on his chest with tattoo ink cause Chad knows this guy who does stuff off the books like that.

Farts & Cults

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Anal-A Willingsworth III

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How to be the ultimate stalker

Come find me ;)

senior intercourse

COMPILED BY **Fartsy Ropchop**

Early Bird Special

Every day at 5 a.m.
Albert's Family Restaurant
\$5 for a meal and free coffee refills all day

The Early Bird Special starts a little too late for my liking, but it's worth it for the tremendous value. After all, where else can you get bowl-fuls of prunes and all the liver you can eat? If you ask nicely, they'll even mash up the food in a blender so you don't have to wreck your dentures trying to chew through those tough scrambled eggs. And thanks to the all-you-can-drink coffee, I can sit there for hours and regale the waitress with stories and pictures of my grandchildren. Did you know Bobby is only 13 but he's already on the honour roll at his school? I'm so proud of him. He's coming to visit me next week. Would you like to see some photos?

Walking Around The Mall

7 a.m.
Any mall
It's free — the best things in life are free

After consuming all that soggy breakfast food and watered-down coffee, you're going to need to walk it off to avoid indigestion. Most malls open their doors by 7 a.m., and if the one you want isn't open, bang loudly on the door with your walker and complain to the security guard about it. We're old, damn it. We have the right to wander pointlessly and slowly around the mall, moaning about things like a bunch of *Walking Dead* zombies. When walking around, you can point at stores and tells stories about what stores used to be there 20 years ago. Remember that shoe store that used to be where the Starbucks is? Tom Jensen used to work there. I haven't seen him in dang near 13 years. It's also a good place to yell at teenagers. Back in my day, we didn't put pieces of metal through our faces and wear pants down to our knees. Damn kids don't appreciate anything. I fought for this country.

Bingo

Tuesdays & Thursdays at 2 p.m.
Rec room at the old folks home
Sold out

If you can wake up from your afternoon nap early enough, you're going to want to head downstairs and play bingo with all your senior friends. Make sure you move as fast as your artificial hip will let you, because you know this event always fills up quickly. This week, prizes include one of Helen's knitted blankets, the first season of *Matlock* on Blu-ray and a tupperware container full of applesauce. Mmmmm, I bet that applesauce tastes good. And even though the bingo caller always yells into the mic at full volume, he's still hard to hear, so don't be shy about screaming at him to speak up — I'm sure he won't mind. Don't stand up too fast when you get bingo either — your bones are as brittle as chalk.

Dying

Soon
Funeral service at the Orthodox Church with reception to follow at Albert's family restaurant

It's time to face the facts: I'm old and I could die at any moment. Any old person could. Did you hear about Agnes? She was walking to the grocery store to buy a box of cereal with a coupon and she fell and broke every bone in her body. I just saw her last week too! It really makes you think. Come to think of it, all my friends are dead.



SCHMOTO ILLUSTRATION AMIRROR SAFARI

Campus music festival ousted for musical, students revolt in anger

MUSICAL SHAM

Taboo

WRITTEN BY > Franco Moustafa Ferrari

DIRECTED BY > Woody Allendale

STARRING > Andromeda 'Diva' Petal, Angus McTaggart, Georgie Porgy, Ariba Yodellson, Tyra Vaseline Banks, Miggy Rachet, Ferbie McFerbson and Stefano Frangoianopolous

WHEN > Tuesday, January 1, 2012 - Monday, January 9, 2040 aka the longest running show ever

WHERE > Lister Community Barn (Hidden in the Dark Forest)

HOW MUCH > Your first-born child

Cryin' Orangegrove

EMPEROR OF THE UNIVERSE

The Campus Musical, thought to have been forgotten after last year's Vice-President (Dickin' Around) Kilton Yoomagosha just didn't bother getting around to it, has led to the cancellation of the much-anticipated music festival Universipalooza promised by this year's Dickin' Around VP Salt Lick Suomo — and fans are not happy.

The festival line-up was impressive, with big names like The Beatles — all four of them — Whitney Houston, Michael Jackson and LMFAO: a band so huge it's able to list Syrian President Bashar al-Assad as its biggest fan. That's one brutal dictator who's both sexy and knows it.

Unfortunately, it was found that not only were they accidentally scheduled on the same dates, but funding for both events was set to come from the same bottle drive.

Yoomagosha, now Students' Onion Dictator-for-Life, said the decision to cut Universipalooza was difficult, but he ultimately believes it's the better option for students.

"When I ran last year on a platform of bringing a musical to campus without bothering to notice we have a drama department in the Faculty of Arts here already, I meant business, okay?"

"Students are going to get a lot more out of our production of *Taboo*, based the life of Boy George — which met with scathing reviews on Broadway — than they're going to get out of any gathering of the biggest names in pop culture."

"Oh yeah, it's just fucking awesome that I get to carry out Kilton's fantastic promise from last year, you know? I had my own ideas and everything about what I wanted to do while VP (Dickin' Around), but hey, let's just unilaterally decide, 'Naw, fuck that,' and concentrate on *Taboo* instead."

SALT LICK SUOMO
VICE-PRESIDENT (DICKIN' AROUND)

Instead of being able to attend a free concert featuring Katy Perry's incomparable style of saying something moderately — but never threateningly — risqué and South Korean sensation Psy's ability to write songs that totally get funnier and funnier as every public figure worldwide slowly but surely does the dance to the applause of hip young people everywhere, students will instead be offered a look at London's New Romantic scene of the '80s, a time when the vast majority of them weren't even born.

The reaction from the university community has been that of outrage so far, and students have launched dozens of protests across cam-

pus to get their music festival back — but to no avail.

As for Suomo, he's been all smiles on the outside, but reading between the lines reveals maybe just a little resentment.

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"It's not like I was able to book Boy George for Universipalooza anyway. Nope, I totally didn't have him as a headliner or anything."

One of the cancelled acts, Radiohead, also issued a statement.

"We're pretty bummed to hear about the cancellation," it reads.

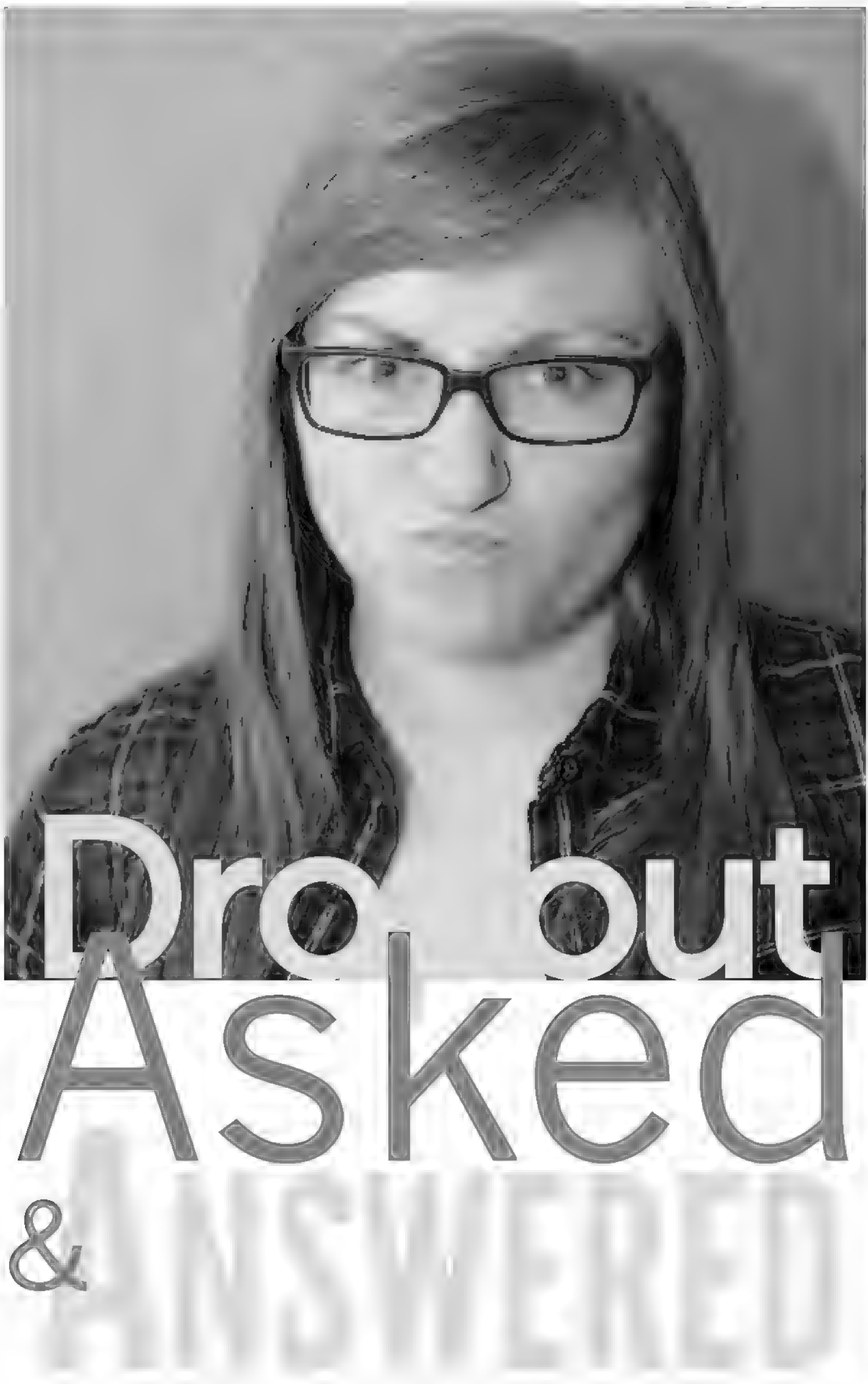
"The band was really excited to be coming out to snow-filled Edmonton to put on a great show for you guys. I guess we'll just go back to trying to cheer up Thom Yorke and making songs with broken printers, that fizzy sound you get when you open a bottle of Coke and dying puppies, and then releasing them one by one on old books we picked up from the library — or whatever it is we even do now."

Kilton, apparently unable to tell a joke from an actual plea for the implementation of an idea that really won't enhance students' lives at all, cites the continued mentioning of the campus musical as the reason why he pushed ahead this year.

"Two whole people came up to me in the office, asking, 'Hey Kilton, where's that campus musical, huh?' And then I noticed in *The Getaway* people were writing in asking what happened to it, so when I had to make the choice between *Taboo* and Universipalooza, I definitely took that into account.

"I think students will be happy with how this whole thing turns out."

Suomo was last seen entering a bar, muttering, "I'm way too sober for this shit."



WITH

Janine Washington
BA (incomplete)

Time of Dropping Out: February 2008

Current Occupation: Sales Associate at Bath and Body Works

What do you miss most about school:
First week of classes! Getting to see everyone after summer and hanging out at the beer gardens. Plus there's like, no homework yet.

Favorite Prof while at the U of A?
Not too sure about that one really, I liked one of my art history profs, but can't remember his name.

Favorite secret makeout spot on campus?
Probably a three way tie between the stairs in Humanities, pedway between Sub and stadium car park, and third floor of the education building.

Happy with your current level of success?
I'm just loving it, I mean come on, I've been at BABW for five years now, and I'm already a hand soap and sanitizer specialist.



still think university eduction is worthless?



Everything comes up roses in *The Bachelorette: SU Edition*

SU Vice-President (Acamaniac) Dusty Chillin chosen as winning bachelor

REALITY TV REVIEW

The *Bachelorette: SU Edition*

WHEN It's over, bitch
WHERE > Campus Camera Network
HOSTED BY > Crank Robinswell
STARRING > Alanis Willington, Dusty Chillin, Petty Kosmo, Sandy Sheema, Saudi Sumowrester and Kilton Yoshi

Alleluia Wonderwoman ARTS & CULTURE SORCERER

After a bumpy road to love, the first season of *The Bachelorette: SU Edition* has ended happily ever after now that Students' Union VP (Acamaniac) Dusty Chillin has proposed to bachelorette Alanis Willington.

After whittling the original five SU executives down to Chillin and VP (Exterminator) Petty Kosmo, the proposal came on the last day of winter semester as Willington waited atop the U of A Observatory to tell the two finalists their fate. After bidding a tearful adieu to the ever-fashionable Kosmo, Willington was thrilled when Chillin got down on one knee to propose, and she awarded him the final rose of the show.

"I don't know what it is, but there's just something about him that I can't live without," Willington gushes. "Maybe it's those glasses, or his inability to grow facial hair. Whatever it is, I know we'll be together for the rest of our lives."

Over the course of the month-

and-a-half long show, Willington went on dates across campus with the various SU executives, attending a Studio Theatre play, seeing a concert in Dinwoodie Lounge and even making a study date in Rutherford Library.

The night before Chillin proposed, Willington went on a last date with Kosmo, where they enjoyed a breathtaking view of campus and gourmet \$17 steaks at RATT. The date seemed to be going well for the finalist, whose impeccable hipster style had made him a frontrunner for much of the series, until Willington asked him about their future together.

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ALANIS WILLINGTON
THE BACHELORETTE: SU EDITION

"I want to be with you, but my career is going to come first. Someone has to lead these students next year, and it might as well be me," Kosmo told Willington as she stared at him in shock. "I know this probably isn't what you want to hear, but I have to be honest."

Needless to say, the date didn't end well, and Willington refused Kosmo's sheepish offer to spend the

night together, leaving him with the check.

Going on her final date with Chillin the next night, it seemed like Willington had already made up her mind as he proceeded to shower her with compliments.

"I'd give up my books for you, that's how much I love you," Chillin told her. "Who needs academia when I could have you?"

Willington was so smitten by Chillin's declaration of love that she accepted his invitation to spend the night in the Lister fantasy suite, effectively cementing Chillin as her final choice.

At the After the Final Rose show, the couple told host Crank Robinswell that they've tentatively decided to hold the wedding in the spring following Chillin's graduation, and Willington hinted that she hopes they'll start a family quickly.

"Dusty only wants one or two kids, but I'm think more like five or six," she laughs. "Don't worry, I'll keep working on him."

Celebrating the smash success of *The Bachelorette: SU Edition*, the network has already begun talking about expanding the series by creating *The Bachelor: SU Edition*, and VP (Special Operations) Sandy Sheema is slated to star in it. Often thought of as a money hungry grump, Sheema hopes to clear up these misconceptions by being the shows next bachelorette.

"I want to find a woman who can look past all the money. There's more to me than just the suit on my back," Sheema explains.

"And yes, this is my own suit."

The Bachelor: SU is slated to hit the air next spring, piggybacking the televised wedding ceremony of Willington and Chillin.

Lister beauty tips guarantee eternal youth and loveliness



Kat 'Rachet' Blackbird
A&C BITCHIN'

Hey ladiez, is your bank account looking a little empty lately? Don't worry, our gurlfriends in Lister are experts at looking ballin' on a budget and have some hot tips which will have you jinglin' all the way to the Winter Floor.

Butthole waxing

Is the tangled rat's nest on your booty being a total pain in the ass? Is your butt hair looking more like the untamed jungles of the Amazon than a tidy flower patch? Fret not, there's still time to get the perkier pucker hole in all of MacKenzie before it's too late.

Sure, this is something that people normally have done professionally because of the risk of severe anal hemorrhaging and fecal discharge — but let's face it, you can't afford the luxuries of a licensed spa experience. Forget the comforts of your own dorm room to get the job done — turn SUBstage into your personal public spa experience. And who has the time or money to splurge on an actual waxing kit from the drugstore? Nuh-uh gurlfrin! Just pick up a roll of duct tape from SUBmart. Make sure to grab some bottled water to soothe your wounds, because this shit's gonna burn.

Skin Tips

Is the cold weather making your



GRYFFINDOR HAMWALL

complexion more parched and lifeless than the totally lame dry floor in rez? Fret not bbgurl, because here are some sweet DIY skin-brightening tips n' tricks that you can make for yourself!

Vomit facials: Remember that one time Sara got so effing wasted that she puked, like, all over herself? OMG, me too. Next time, collect that shizz in a pitcher and spread it all over your face, because it turns out that stomach acid and Bacardi Breezers are super rejuvenating for your chapped cheeks. Afterwards, just continue with your regular skin-washing regimen — don't forget to exfoliate, ladies!

Drinking pee: Did you know that you are literally pissing away your secret to super-smooth skin? All of these lost nutrients work like absolute wonders to get your complexion

as tight and moist as your brand-spankin' new booty hole. Just chug back a pint of your golden Gatorade with your morning granola, and you'll be all-aboard the Skin Care Express. Next stop: Fresh Face City! Choo choo!

Exfoliating snow scrub: It seems like all the Lister kids have been making a habit of gallivanting in the snow naked lately. But did you know they aren't just being kray kray hoodrats? This is actually a stepping-stone to skin perfection! Take a hint from our friends in rez: strip down to your birthday suit and go dashing through the snow. The awesome skin-smoothing benefits of the ice and frost will make you shine in all those sexy lil' crevices where the sun don't shine. Once you've smoothed away all of those nasty flakes, all eyes will be on you — especially that super cute Delta Iota Kappa guy from across the floor.

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Vending Machines

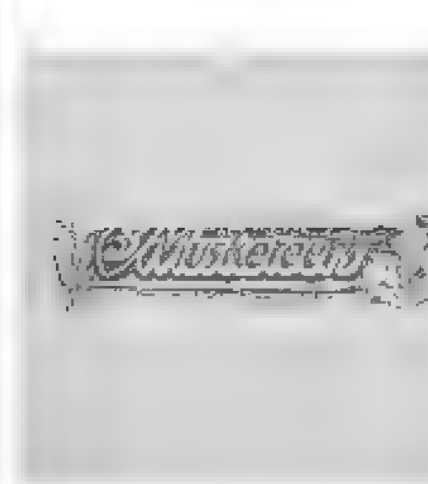
Nestle Crunch Snack bar and Glaceau Vitamin Water XXX - \$4.50 - Andiana Rosary



For my third lunch of the day, I ventured to the darkest corners of CAB where three glorious vending machines beckoned. As my thighs screamed no, my heart screamed YES for the NestleCrunchSnackbar. Contrary to the passing

students, vending machines don't judge, so I also opted for a Vitamin water because I was feeling a little feisty. While my Crunch bar only satisfied me for a moment, the Vitamin Water thankfully quenched all 600 pounds of me.

3 Musketeers Chocolate Bar - \$1.50 - Michelin Man



I was instantly intrigued by the mystery candy bar turned backwards in the machine. It was tempting me with the backside of its silvery wrapping, hiding the enigma within. But the machine surprised me by shakily releasing my treat and dropping it

with such force that it broke in two. While this vending machine initially attracted me with its modest appearance and alluring secrecy, I was disappointed by the extremely poor service, and have vowed to never again be hoodwinked by its seductive illusions.

Stacy's Pita Chips - \$1.50 - SeSe Hyphen-Hyphen



My first impression of the vending machine corner was pure amazement. I was overwhelmed by the bountiful selection — there were two separate vending machines with at least 10 different selections of chips! I decided to

be healthy by getting the smallest bag of chips there was, and while they were tasty, the crunch noise they made was horrendous! CRUNCH CRUNCH CRUNCH. I'd go there again, but next time, I'm bringing earplugs.

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Wii U degrees better than Arts degrees, nobody's surprised

VIDEO GAMEZ 4 LYFE

Wii U Degrees

WHEN ➤ Every fall semester
WHERE ➤ University of Shits n' Giggles

Ry Welshman
GETAWAY MASTERMIND

Nintendo burst onto the higher education scene earlier this year with the release of Wii U, and early adopters now claim that while their new degrees are more valued than arts degrees, they nevertheless feel just as empty.

The most popular degree program so far is the Bachelor of Smiles, which includes such classes as Intermediate Platforming, where students learn real-world skills like timing that jump onto the moving platform over the spike pit just right, hitting an innocent Koopa and using its shell to slaughter its nearby brethren and eating mysterious mushrooms with no concern for toxicity or hallucinogenic properties.

Dean of the Faculty of Smiles Shigeru Miyamoto says the Wii U project's goal is to empower gamers all over the world with another option.

"When I was growing up in Kyoto and I first ate the crazy mushroom that gave me the idea that a fat Italian stereotype jumping through pipes and engaging in conversations with talking fungus would actually take off, the programs offered at Wii U could have sped along my development enormously," Miyamoto says.

"Why go to a regular boring university and get a Bachelor of Arts when you could instead get, say, a Master of Whimsy in Pokology?"

Miyamoto doesn't lie. Under the wing of Professor Satoshi Tajiri,



SHIMOTO ILLUSTRATION: DANIEL'S MCKECKY

students at Wii U can follow in the footsteps of Pokémon legend Professor Oak by studying all currently-known 649 species of Pokémon.

But some say there's a dark side to this paradisiacal institution. Demand may be high for graduates well-versed in being a mute protagonist — a field revolutionizing how companies view communications and public relations — but depression rates have skyrocketed among graduates.

"Yeah, no one really gave a shit about my arts degree where I studied real, important stuff like modern race relations. But then I take Sociology of Hyrule, and everyone on the internet reads my stupid goddamn fanfic about the struggles of the Gerudo people versus the Hylians. And you know the worst part? I start to believe my own bullshit," laments recent graduate Sam "Hookshot" Williams.

"I want to be in *Zelda*," he adds, with no trace of recognition of the unfortunate double entendre.

Others have reported similar sentiments, like 27-year-old graduate Carla Smith, who is now working toward her PhD in Advanced Nintendineering.

"Nintendo has crafted these many

varied and attractive worlds full of interesting and friendly characters where the good guys always win. Then you listen to Wii U President Reggie Fils-Aime telling you that when you die, you too go to a magical world full of talking mushrooms and little animals that live in balls and then fight each other..."

Smith trails off, but continues, "Then? Then you look at all the pain and suffering in Gaza right now and you just want to kill yourself."

"I would be Samus Aran's sassy sidekick," she adds wistfully, "and we would explore Chozo ruins while fighting off space pirates every day, feasting on roast metroids every evening."

Smith's eyes momentarily glaze over as she's lost in a warm fuzzy daydream.

"And when the fire's dying down, we snuggle up close and she takes off her power suit and asks if — yeah, you can read more about it in my fanfic. It's currently the top-rated mature F/F fic in the *Metroid* section.

"Jesus Christ, why do people care more about the ability to write video game porn than my actual expertise in 17th century English Literature?! Fuck, I wasted those four years."

the **brews** brothas

WRITTEN BY **Alcoholic Aloha** and **Bbbbbbenny and the Jets.**

Keystone Light

Available at: Shhhh, it's a secret

Traditionally, beer snobs thumb their noses at mass-produced, cheap beers, but I think it's only fair to evaluate them on an even keel with artisan brews. This week, I dove head first into the wonderful world of budget beer with every broke university student's begrudging favourite, Keystone Light.

Drunk using the traditional 'shotgun' method, the beer shoots out light, yellowy and urine-like with a foamy white head that makes the floor all sticky. There's a definite skunky aroma with faint piss notes in the background. On its own, the beer's aroma isn't too impressive, but in terms of smell per dollar, it stands alone.

Up front there isn't much flavour, but Keystone Light gradually generates water and urine notes as it warms up. The beer has a thin mouth feel, which complements the appropriately suppressed flavour profile. It's subtle and complex with just enough flavours to hide the alcohol, but not so many as to taste significantly different than bidet water.

I recommend Keystone Light to any alcoholic students who are running out of scholarship money. This beer finds a way to taste almost nothing like real beer while still being legally considered one. I give it 10 beer bongs out of 10 for letting me get drunk only after enjoying four watery litres.



Olde English "800"

Available at: You wish I would tell you

Finals time is upon us, and in honour of the celebratory binge drinking that inevitably happens after that last exam, I figured I would review most people's drink of choice when playing "Edward Fortyhands."

Out of respect for tradition, I drank this beer straight out of two bottles duct taped to both hands. Needless to say, this made it difficult to write. Due to the tape, I couldn't see the colour in the bottle, but it stained my wife beater a slightly off-yellow colour while dribbling down my chin, so that's what I'm going with.

The taste is full of alcohol and the shame I feel while talking to my parents about my future. The alcohol is especially strong given the relatively weak 5.9 per cent ABV. This backs up my theory that they just add food colouring to watered-down grain alcohol and package it as malt liquor. It basically feels like I'm drinking warm, watered-down piss that's been carbonated a little.

In the end, there's a reason why this malt liquor is generally chugged at parties: it gets the job done when it comes to getting drunk fast. I recommend this to literally anyone who wishes to get drunk enough that you forget you actually put this in your body, and award it eight brown paper bags out of 10.

fashion stalkers

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Juju Famer
FOREVER A STUDENT



GATEWAY: ➤ Describe what you're wearing.
JUJU: ➤ What do you mean, you haven't seen my outfit on the runway before? No one on campus is fashionable, so I was forced to shoot and interview myself.
GATEWAY: ➤ What's your favourite thing you have on?
JUJU: ➤ Well, I'm obviously the foremost fashion authority around, so everything I'm wearing is a must-have. My boots are definitely my favourite. They are totally on trend. The only problem is that they make me walk like Bambi in the snow and I slip on ice all the time. They aren't really warm enough either, but who cares — as longs as they look great.



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Former Bears football team switches to non-contact

After repeated failed attempts to succeed at other sports, the Golden Bears will attempt to find victory in two-handed touch football

FOOTBALL? ARTICLE?
Jeff Andrews
SPORTS! SPORTS! SPORTS! SPORTS! SPORTS!

In an effort to improve a rapidly worsening reputation that’s seen this group of players bounce from sport to sport, the University of Alberta athletics department announced that what originally was their football team will return next fall to compete as a two-hand football team.

U of A athletics officials were excited about the move back to a sport even somewhat resembling how they originally started. The team has been 0-8 in finding another sport for this group of players to succeed in after two straight seasons of losses encouraged U of A Athletics Judge Dredd to cut the team from CIS competition.

Since then, the former football team has competed in dodgeball, kickball, ultimate frisbee, basketball, paintball, laser tag, go cart racing and tug of war.

In fact, since two straight winless 0-8 seasons on the football field, the team has gone 0-8 again in finding a new sport for the the team to succeed at instead.

However, U of A athletics speculates that the return to a football-like culture would be good for a program that hasn’t experienced a victory in years. The kickball Golden Bears’ new coaching team is dedicated to developing the sport in the



AIR BUD. GET IT!? The football team’s ultimate frisbee endeavour was one of eight other sports the y failed at GLYS THIS IS TOTES A REAL PHOTO, WE SWEAR I DON’T EVEN KNOW WHAT PHOTOSHOP IS, NEVER HEARD OF IT

Edmonton area and developing two-handed touch football players at the U of A.

“We have to realize that two-handed touch football in CIS doesn’t start at the university level. We need to develop this sport from Edmonton’s grassroots and encourage young kids to compete,” Bears now two-handed touch football coach Chris Instead said.

“We need to tell kids that it isn’t ‘lame’ to play touch football instead

of tackle, nor does doing so makes kids ‘wimps,’ or ‘wusses.’ That thought is a ridiculous and discriminatory notion that needs to change.”

In exhibition action, this new Bears team defeated Calgary’s top junior high athletes 48-17.

The team unfortunately had to test their two-handed touch football strength against such a young team because the city’s high schools and universities laughed off the challenge, stating that they hadn’t played football

without tackling since grade nine.

“You see? That is exactly the kind of negative stereotype we here at the U of A are trying to avoid. It’s completely dismissive of a growing group of athletes who want to play football, but don’t want to get hit — and to me, that’s absolutely disgusting,” Instead said.

It’s unknown how long this sport will last until Athletics Judge Dredd makes a judgement call on whether the team will stay in this sport longer

Golden Bears swimmer revealed to actually be a dolphin in disguise

ANIMAL ROUNDUP
Shameron Spewis
SPORTS! SPORTS! SPORTS! SPORTS! SPORTS!

The University of Alberta Golden Bears swimming team recently found itself submerged in a whirlpool of controversy due to the expulsion of star swimmer and Marine Biology student Tom Dolphin from league competition.

“Everyone makes mistakes.” Bears swim coach Phil Bumby said when asked about Dolphin’s removal from the team. “Hopefully the team can continue on in a forward direction without their star swimmer.”

Dolphin was removed from the team on multiple accounts of violating the league’s substance and performance policy, including having a structural advantage over the other competitors, having fins, being able to hold their breath underwater for an unusually long time and being a dolphin.

“There’s no room in this beautiful sport for cheaters.” CIS competitive swimming commissioner Dolan Feer said, “This is a league for humans, not dolphins. Having a dolphin competing simply isn’t fair to all the humans involved in the race. He had to be removed.”

Unfortunately, Tom Dolphin was not able to be reached for an interview. This is likely due to the fact that he is a dolphin and dolphins just can’t do that.



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Dolphin competed with the Bears for two and a half seasons, winning every event he competed in. Oddly enough, for these two and a half years, nobody questioned the fact that there was a dolphin competing in a swimming event against

a bunch of humans. Dolphin was finally discovered under the rare circumstances that a spectator attended a U of A swimming event.

“I guess nobody really wanted to say anything, you know, because of PETA. Those guys are a pain in the

what can you do in this situation?

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SOUNDS RECORDED DURING SWIMMING CONTESTS

A keen eye from a U of A swimming fan caught Dolphin in the act of cheating at a recent swim meet hosted by the U of A. The U of A fan began to notice something was amiss when he saw a fin in the water. After moving down closer to the water he thought he saw fins on one of the swimmers.

“At first I thought the swimmer was wearing flippers and water wings and I didn’t think much of it. Swimming and staying afloat can be really hard,” the observant fan who caught Dolphin and informed CIS officials said.

“Once I stepped into the building and saw the pool, there was no mistaking it. That was a dolphin, it had to be. Turns out I was right and this Dolphin fellow is some sort of mastermind cheating his way through CIS swimming.”

The expulsion of Dolphin won’t spell the end of controversy surrounding University of Alberta Athletics.

Due to this issue, the league is also investigating the Bears wrestling team for allegedly having two gorillas and a large anaconda on their roster, but nothing has been proven yet.

Entire NBA finally stops trying to beat Lakers and Heat

PRO SPORTS ROUNDUP
Shameron Spewis
SPORTS! SPORTS! SPORTS! SPORTS! SPORTS!

David Stern, the commissioner of the National Basketball Association, announced Tuesday that the league plans to remove every single team from competition for 2013-14 — except for the Miami Heat and the Los Angeles Lakers.

The proposition was voted on by all 30 individual team owners last weekend and was passed with a whopping 30 owners voting yes and none voting no.

"It's getting really tiresome trying to build a team to compete with the Heat and Lakers," an anonymous NBA franchise owner said in a recent interview. "Besides, it's way more interesting watching a group of good friends who also happen to be incredibly good basketball players play on the same team than watching all of these teams with random, no-name players make fools of themselves."

The purpose of this contraction is to rid the league of boring teams that have no chance in hell of ever competing for an NBA champion-

ship and to make sure that every star player has a chance to play on a team with at least two close friends.

"Dynasties. We want dynasties. The fans want dynasties. Most importantly, the best players in the league want dynasties," Stern said in a press conference on Tuesday, "Everyone knows that the Heat and Lakers are the only teams in this league who actually have a chance of winning a championship, so what's the point of having all of these other teams and players?"

When asked privately, Stern also admitted that he couldn't name half the teams in the league and was completely bewildered when he was told the NBA had a team located in Utah.

"They're called the Jazz?" Stern said, shaking his head, visibly frustrated, "That doesn't even make sense. Why would they be called the Jazz if they play in Utah? See, this is why we need to get rid of these teams: it just makes the league look like a joke."

The new state of the league will come into effect next season, when the Lakers and Heat tip off in Los Angeles. The Lakers will then trav-



STOLEN OFF THE WEBZ LIKE A BADASS

el to Miami for two games against the Heat before they return home to start a five game home-stand against the Miami Heat. The 82-game schedule will decide which of the two teams will have home court

advantage in the 27-game playoff series.

This move, while controversial, will definitely make the NBA a more exciting league for the fans who were tired of meaningless

regular season games that lacked the Miami vs. Los Angeles star power and more importantly, this allows players to find another profession in which they may one day actually succeed.

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ARMSTRONG GROWTH LINKED TO 'ROID'S
Sports legend Lance Armstrong faced a blow to his reputation earlier this year when the USADA stripped him of his seven Tour de France yellow jerseys amidst doping allegations. However, Armstrong is looking to

repair the damage with his new charity, RoidStrong, which aims to help athletes deal with Cancer through the use of performance-enhancing substances.

The idea for founding the charity came to Armstrong the morning after a major HGH binge, when he

discovered he had regrown his missing testicle. "I was just cradling it in my hands and crying when I thought, I have to bring this gift to others," he said in a recent interview.

RoidStrong will follow the model set by Armstrong's previous charitable efforts, using bracelets and grayscale photos of Armstrong's new testicle to spread awareness. Their first major fundraising campaign begins next week, with a charity walk and weightlifting competition

to provide HGH for the Children's Miracle Network Hospitals.

CANADIAN ATHLETE APOLOGIZES
University of Alberta alumni Paula Findlay apologized for apologizing after her loss in the Olympics Triathlon this summer. "I'm sorry to all Canadians for my apology," Findlay said in a press conference recently. "I'm sorry for being a stereotypical Canadian and apologizing for this loss, although it doesn't

affect anyone, really — I was still really sorry, but I'm sorry to all Canadians for being so sorry."

NHL TEAM ELIMINATED FROM PLAYOFFS
The Edmonton Oilers were the first team mathematically eliminated from playoff contention this season. While officials are confused how this happened during a lockout, no one is honestly that surprised. The team will look to rebuild with another first overall draft choice for next season.

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U of A rips off Japanese event to appeal to western students

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In order to suppress general unrest of the student body on constantly inflating tuition prices, the University of Alberta has declared that it will host their first-ever varsity Hunger Games.
After disbanding many riots, petitions, and flash mobs protesting the tuition increases, an executive decision from the U of A had to be made. Athletes will be the only tributes to be put forward because university officials are apparently not heartless, contrary to popular belief. This event will be taking place henceforth, in order to remind students that they should sacrifice their minds, bodies and souls — not to mention their money — to the University of Alberta.

"We think it's a fitting offering for the athletes to make," explained President Samanamanamanamana, the ruler of the university.
"After all, someone's got to do it for the good of the school, and who better than the ones who are already in good shape?"
The Hunger Games consist of one male and one female tribute from each district — or team, in this case. For the football team, two males will be chosen at the reaping, while for Rugby, two females will be chosen.
Each athlete will be entered into the reaping as many times as corresponds to the number of years they have played on their respective teams, meaning returning athletes have a much greater chance of being chosen.
"Personally, I hope I get picked," smiled fifth-year football player Garth "The Hulk" Slinger.
"I was pretty much raised for this back where I come from, so I'm a cinch to win. My name is in there five times, so I think I have a pretty good chance to finally bring some glory to my team!"
After the tributes are chosen, they are literally thrown into an arena where all can observe them fight to the death until only one remains

standing. The winner receives full scholarships for their entire team as well as lifetime immunity from The Games. The Butterdome has been chosen for the location of the arena, where capacity can watch the tributes fight to their bloody and ruthless deaths. It will be televised all around campus as well as broadcast on CJSR for those with queasier stomachs. All students will be forced to take in the Games in order to deter any more rebellious schemes.
The Gamemakers say they've placed their bets on the Golf team tributes, noting they also see promise for the Curling tributes. They're looking forward to ranking the chosen Athletes from one to 12 based on skillset and promise going into the Arena.
Nothing was revealed about the Arena for this year, but one Gamemaker said it will certainly be the most testing of situations. We have been informed that the first reaping will take place on Dec. 22, beginning with the basketball teams.
Since students are all very excited about the Hunger Games taking place, come and support your favourite team, place your bets, and line up some of your sponsorships.
May the odds be ever in your favour!

Students protest some sport getting cut

WHAT SPORT IS THIS?

Young Angus
SPORTS! SPORTS! SPORTS! SPORTS! SPORTS!

A group of students recently furiously protested the cut of that one University of Alberta Pandas sports team that occurred earlier this year. The students leading the protest swore that it would have happened sooner, but it took a few months for word to get around campus and sufficiently raise enough ire amongst students.
"With the legacy this school has developed in hockey, the fact that the U of A would even consider cutting a sport so entrenched in university culture without properly addressing the U of A student body is absolutely ridiculous," a furious Political Science

student said at the rally.
Upon being told that the sport being cut was in fact field hockey and not ice hockey, the student shrugged his shoulders and said he was still pretty upset.

Field what? You mean ice hockey, right?
"ENRAGED" UNIVERSITY STUDENT

Students marched on Quad with signs, pitchforks and torches, each wearing a red triangle pinned to their jacket. While every student described the triangle as meaning something different, they all agreed that it was unifying and showed solidarity with that one sports team nevertheless.

"It disappoints me to know that future generations of U of A students won't ever be able to see this team play at the U of A," a distressed Philosophy student said. "They'll never be able to see the Pandas hit another home run through the hoop for six points after a wrap-around birdie putt."
Most of the students brought an assortment of sports equipment to the rally as a sign of solidarity.
The piece of equipment brought that was closest to the actual sport cut was an ice hockey goalie mask. A number of former Pandas field hockey players attended the rally and commented that they were confused, but they still appreciated the sentiment. After all, it's more attention than the sport ever got back when it supposedly took place at the U of A.

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HOCKEY REVIEW

Gunnar Spankadocious
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In a recent game against the University of Calgary, U of A Pandas hockey fans weren't sure how to feel after seeing the strong performance their school's team brought in the game.

In a 2-0 shutout victory, many fans were overjoyed to see the team come away with such a close win. However, many fans lamented the fact that the team had likely peaked during this game. It was clear to all that this was the Pandas playing their best hockey, and to only have won by two goals was quite disheartening.

"I don't know what to say. All year I've been telling our players that they haven't been playing their best hockey. But that out there was such a complete game with no noticeable mistakes — that was clearly the best hockey we can play," Pandas head coach Harold Curtains said, visibly shaken.

"But we only won by two goals in the end. I mean, we finally truly brought our best hockey, and that's it? I just don't know what to say."

Bigger and better things were consistently expected to be in the future of Pandas hockey, with the team usually holding back their best hockey, planning to unleash it when the time was right. Against top rival, the University of Calgary, the Pandas finally brought their A-game and played their best hockey, but the result was underwhelming, with the U of C keeping the game close while playing what was clearly not their best hockey.

Video of the game was shown to

sports researchers to determine if this truly was the Pandas' best hockey, and the results they found confirmed Curtains' suspicions.

▪ We gave it 110 per cent out there, but now that we have, what else is left? What more can one give after 110 per cent? If you think about it, what else is there to life? What more is there to accomplish? Doesn't it just give you an empty feeling thinking about it? When you realize that once 110 per cent is reached, once you've done your absolute best, there's nowhere else to go, no better you can do. What am I supposed to do with my life now? There are no more dreams to achieve, no more mountains to climb. It's all over now.

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"Our studies showed that the Pandas were mathematically giving 110 per cent in this game. This was literally their all that they gave against their opponents and there's just not any more that they can do than that," a U of A researcher said after



BLAH BLAH BLAH A couple of bored sports fans have seen the best hockey their team has to offer. Now nothing's left to cheer **BELENA SOIL**

studying the game tape.

Surprisingly, this kind of under-performance isn't new to U of A athletics. Former Bears football head coach Gerald Freezee often commented that his team consistently lacked an understanding of the fundamentals of the game they'd been playing since they were children.

When asked if he also thought his own team wasn't playing their best hockey, Bears hockey head coach Isaac Sherbert simply said "Yes."

"Yes," Sherbert said when asked

to elaborate on his team's struggles.

It's expected that attendance will dwindle after learning this fact about the Pandas team.

Now that they have, performed at literally 110 per cent without coming away with a more impressive victory, fans unquestionably have nothing better to look forward to from their team.

"It's depressing to give it your all, really truly give it everything you have, only to find that, well, that that's it. That's all we can do," an anonymous Pandas player said,

choosing to keep their identity a secret out of shame. They promptly quit the team at the conclusion of the interview.

While many other players were upset to learn of this development, they commented that it "is what it is." Meanwhile, the team still plans to take the season one game at a time, acknowledging the rest of the season will be a real team effort. They also note it remains true that any team in the Canada West conference can beat any other team on any given night.

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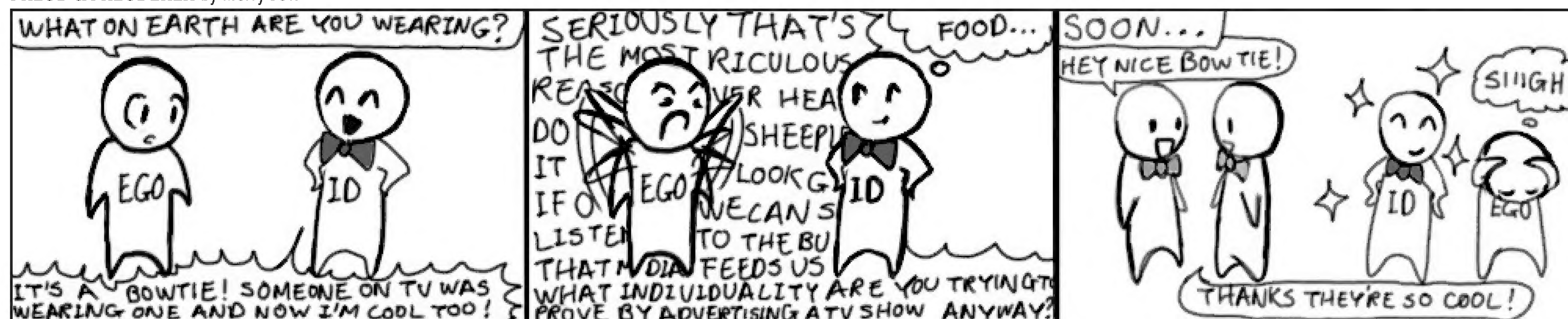
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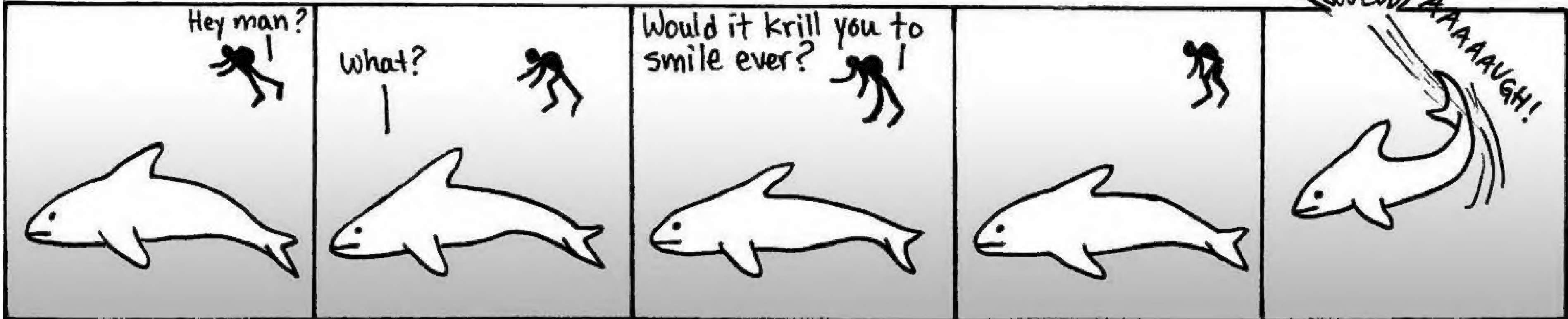
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askDr. Dunno

WRITTEN BY **Dr. Dunno Shit (DFA)**

Dear Dr. Dunno: So I'm pretty sure I have a problem. Last week, the first-year who sits next to me in my econ class showed up infected with some horrifying virus. This guy did not look good. You'd think people would just fucking stay at home when they're that wrecked, but apparently not. I tried to ignore his non-stop hacking during the lecture, but after one super violent coughing fit, he spewed mucus all over me. I'm freaking out. I haven't slept or eaten since it happened. It's just so traumatizing. Did he give me, like, ebola or something? Please help me, oh god... -Phlegm Phobia

Dear PP: Yeah, you're fucked. I have no idea what kind of horrifying and painful agony you're about to experience, but I'm sure it won't end quickly. Come to think of it, sounds like this dude was a zombie.

So yeah, good luck with that.

Just embrace it, I guess. Whatever. YOLO. Wait... is that insensitive right now?

Dear Dr. Dunno: Last weekend, I may have accidentally made a questionable choice about SOMETHING. And a couple days later, I may have developed a case of something that appears to be a sort of, uh... gangrene of the dick. WHAT DO I DO?! How can I save Mini-Brian?! I won't be the same without him. Life will really just lose all meaning. I've already tried to, you know... nurse him back to health... But it totally isn't working. I'm desperate. Is there a cure? -Green Peen

Dear Peen: Dude, your D is F'd. Sorry. Make the little guy a mini coffin and say your final farewells.

Dear Dr. Dunno: If I had sex without a condom but while wearing a parka and some super warm fuzzy socks, can I still get pregnant? I'm pretty sure heating my body up like that is just supposed to, like, boil the sperm away, right? Just wanted to confirm that my super creative and totally

scientifically researched method of birth control is foolproof... lol. -Krystal <3

Dear K: Sure thing, carry on. The female body has ways of "shutting that whole thing down" anyway. I'm sure you're good to go.

Dear Dr. Dunno: I seem to have caught a bit of a nasty cold. What can I do to make myself feel better? -Germ Man

Dear Germs: Holy shit, you're screwed. Spare your friends and family the tearful goodbye and get out while you still have a chance of containing the infection. Just reading your letter made me terrified you've given your disease to me. Remove yourself from society immediately, you dirty leper.

Dr. Dunno is *The Getaway's* resident health and horrifying disease and death expert. Send your questions in anonymously at deardunno@thegetawayonline.ca — don't worry guys, it's legit.

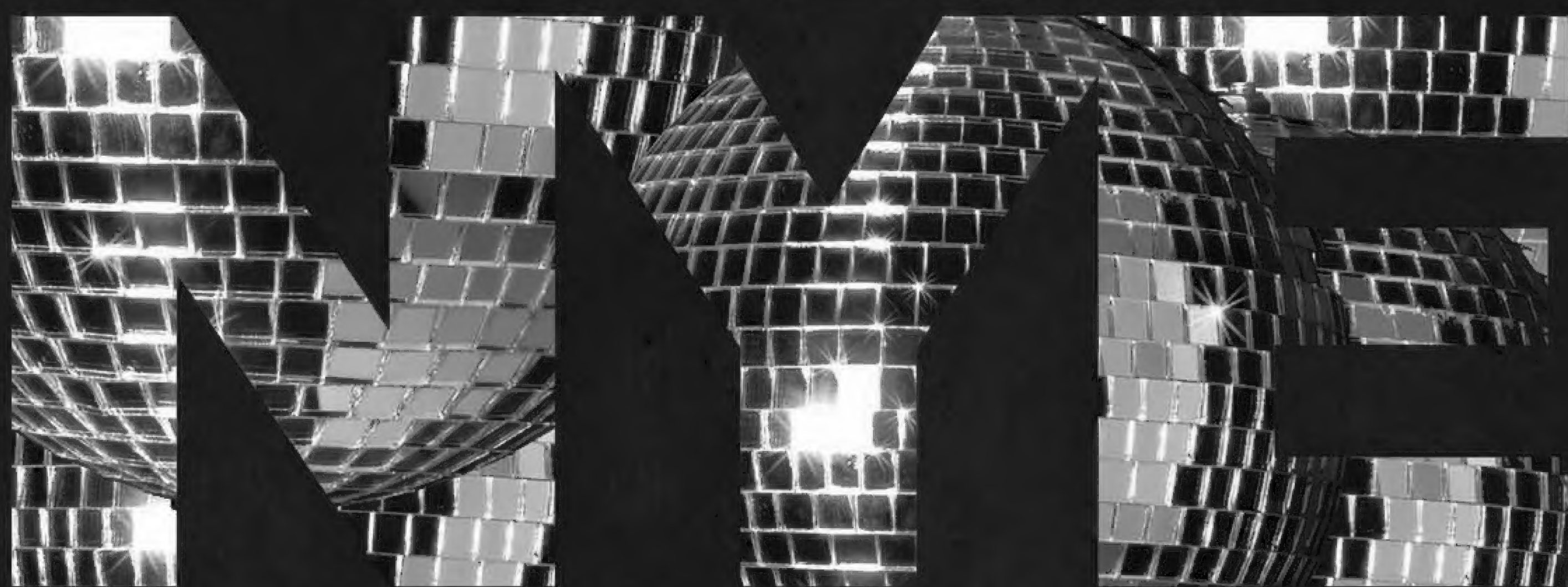
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